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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

NOW THAT warm weather is here, several hot-blooded people are anxious to go off on expeditions to the North pole.

COL. HENRY WATTERSON is far out on the Atlantic en route to Europe for the first time. We speak advisedly in saying that Colonel Watterson has thrown up the whole Free trade controversy.

THE free traders had better migrate to England and help to guard the citadel of their doctrine. A resolution in favor of protective duties was moved in the House of Commons last night.

THE American Bible Society does great work in spreading the gospel. Nearly a million and a half copies of the Scriptures were issued last year and during the existence of the society nearly forty-seven million copies have been issued.

THE California wool-growers warn Congress that if wool is placed on the free list it will completely destroy that industry in this country. The Californians do not seem to understand that is precisely what the tariff tinker is aiming at.

THE presence of a circus in Washington the other day left the House without a quorum. This indicates that the statesmen like a change in their circus performances, and sometimes prefer the variety of witnessing one as spectators instead of performers.

THERE are multiplying indications that a boom lies close behind the lines of business operations. As long as the tariff tinker and the Anarchist are strong enough to hold it back, however, they will certainly do it. Prosperity means death to demagogues and disorder.

THE tariff tinker believes in Free Trade in pretty much everything, and why not in Anarchy, Socialism and all the other fungous product of foreign pauperism and ignorance? To be consistent the tariff tinker should point out Spies, Most and Schwab as evidence of the glory of Free Trade.

THE paid base ball players throughout the conntry, the Washington *Star* states, number over 1,000, and draw annually salaries aggregating about $900,000. If to this sum were added the expense of sustaining grounds, the salaries of managers, gate keepers, ticket sellers and others, tha total would probably reach more than $1,000,000.

THE long and short of the Grecian business is that Russia is not yet ready to fight. Consequently Greece has nothing to do but to submit to the allied navies of the rest of Europe. The naval power of England, Germany, Italy and Austria, having smothered the Grecian aspirations and prevented the Sick Man from being bothered, as little as possible should be said about the glorious victory of four great monarchies over one small one.

ANDREW CARNEGIE has offered $500,000 to Pittsburg for the erection of a building in which to locate a free library, but the city finds difficulty in accepting the gift because a clause prevents the increase of the city debt to the extent that would be involved in the purchase of a site for the building. Allegheny has formally signified her willingness to donate a site if Mr. Carnegie will give the $500,000 to her for that purpose. But Pittsburg will find some way to evade the conflicting clause.

A GREAT many Southern papers are quoting approvingly the remark of the New York *Sun* that "It is the red flag, not the Confederate flag, that our people should hate." The way in which these journals roll that sentence as a sweet morsel under their tongues, indicates their belief that the Confederate flag is one to be beloved by all. The *Sun's* statement is not as clear on this point as it might be, but to correct any misapprehension that might exist in the South, it may be stated that up here we are perfectly willing to consign both the red flag and the Confederate flag to the silent tomb. We have no reason to love either, but every reason to hate both.

Guess-Work vs. Experience.

The Harrisburg *Telegraph* offers the following criticism of some of the arguments in a volume entitled "Protection or Free Trade," by Henry George: "The tractarians, especially of the Free Trade variety, are the most dogmatic of all who write for public instruction, and the hardest to trace through the devious paths they make, for the simple reason that having plenty of room and being generally confined only to the limits of the words and sentences they can remember, they are free to wonder through illimitable space, where the multiplicity of their errors makes exposure in detail impossible. As a rule, they are verbose beyond measure. Henry George is perhaps the least so of any of them, in his treatise entitled "Protection or Free Trade," and even in this makes the head of the reader ache with the numerous errors he commits, that cannot in the space of a life time be corrected. For instance, under the title of "Advantages and Disadvantages as Reasons for Protection," he begins, "we have seen that low wages do not mean low cost of production, and that a high standard of wages, instead of hurting a country at a disadvantage in production, is really an advantage." Where have we seen this? and, supposing the language is addressed to a reader seeking to understand Mr. George's meaning, why have we seen it? Evidently Mr. George, for reasons of his own, regards it as important to his argument that we should have seen this (whatever he means by it); but the protectionist has not seen it, and in assuming that he has, Mr. George has attempted to commit him to an assumption which he has not sought to raise, and a conclusion that his reader has not seen, and would not know what to do with if he had. He winds up this chapter with another assumption quite as cloudy, "and thus we see again the fallacy of the protectionist contention that if it takes no more labor to produce a thing in our country than elsewhere we should lose nothing by shutting out the foreign product, even though we have to pay a higher price for the home product." He begins his next chapter by presuming that "English protectionists, during the present century at least, struggled for the protection of agriculture, and that the repeal of the corn laws in 1846 was their Waterloo." Do not we all know that the repeal of the English corn laws was passed in England with a view to cheapen breadstuffs to the English workers in manufactories, and that while it was part of the Free Trade policy they are forcing, or trying to force upon us, it was really a protectionist policy for England, because it was designed to carry out the great scheme of the English economic school to make all the rest of the world contributory to England, by "making her the workshop of the world?" If Mr. George's argument is worth anything, it must have been assumed to have been a most serious mistake in our people after conquering their independence, to call the National Convention which established the Constitution of 1789, the avowed purpose of which was in part, to enable Congress to make revenue and uniform tariff laws, for the purpose of developing our industries by protection. Does Mr. George believe, that without this development the country would have been richer, more prosperous and independent? It is true that we have a good deal of trouble with the labor question; but if we had not developed our industries we would not have had the wealth to quarrel over, and instead of striving to bring about a more equitable distribution of our wealth, we would have been dependent upon the countries whence we draw our great wealth of men for the conditions upon which we might from a sparse population sell the crude product of half-tilled fields. It seems to us, that the mistake free traders like Henry George make, is in losing sight of economics, and trying to build upon theories. Of course we know, that far down underneath, or high up above the capacity of finite minds to comprehend, are basic truths which we can only hope the development of the better thought will bring to light, but the theorists who, like Mr. George, are digging as they think, to the foundation of things to build their theories upon, are rather assuming to be God, who may create, but who cannot and will not learn anything from the experience of the world which has preceded them. Better go slow at least so far as to keep in view the light which the ages past have cast upon the road which opens before us.

IT looks now as if only a political earthquake could arouse the voters this campaign.—*Watchman.*

The Democratic voters, you mean. Republican voters are already aroused to vote for General Beaver.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

The "Boodle" Grabbers—Significance of Strikes. New York as a Summer Resort, etc.

NEW YORK, May 19, 1886.

If you wish to describe New York city with one word just say that it is intense. The old word Gotham is obsolete,—it doesn't mean anything. But intense is the word for New York, and New York is just the dictionary for that word in all its definitions. The financial kings of Wall street, and all their followers who want to be kings, while engaged in their daily occupation of gambling show as deep, passionate intensity as was ever exhibited by the California forty-niners, or at the old-time faro table on the Mississippi. Every thing in trade is done by the most intense mental strain and push. Whether it be in politics, religion, law, speculation, amusement, fashion, fraud, theft, violation of public trust, etc., the same intensity seems to direct their thought and action.

The greatest sensation of the present season, and one that has touched and stabbed the official heart of the city more deeply than any other transaction since the days of Tweed has been the gigantic "Boodle" grab of the Aldermen. As many as sixteen of these city fathers have been indicted. Other arrests may follow. These men got about $30 000 each for voting the Broadway surface railroad franchise to Jake Sharp, a rich railroad man, and who proved himself, in his handling of these Aldermen, a first class New York "sharper." Notwithstanding the magnitude of this steal it is doubtful whether any of these Aldermen will be convicted by our courts.

This city is never free from some great sensation. A week of calm, ordinary business life would astonish New Yorkers more than any series of revolting crimes. The daily papers understand this matter thoroughly, and do all they can to educate and increase the morbid curiosity that has become such a demoralizing element among the masses. City journals have found out that they can swell their circulations into the hundreds of thousands by giving the most minute and disgusting details of all the criminal acts and horrid tragedies that transpire. No feeling of delicacy, nor moral sense, nor Christian obligation, seem to exert any restraining influence in this modern, corrupting journalism.

THE "STRIKES."

We say, at the outset, that the laborboring men of this country deserve consideration from all other classes, that they are entitled to fair wages, and to legal protection of their rights as an important portion of all communities, and as a strong element of the national government. But in saying this we do not accord to this class the right to create organizations antagonistic to the general welfare, nor to disturb the peace, nor to violate law, nor to become anarchists. The questions, however, involved in the problem of adjustment between labor and capital we do not propose now to discuss. We wish to suggest what we deem to be the main cause of the wide-spread labor trouble now agitating this country.

There has been a great deal said and written as to over-production in all our industrial interests. But why is there such over-production? Simply because there is an over-supply of labor. And why this over-supply of labor? Because the Congressman of the United States do not know how to manage the affairs of this government upon commercial principles; because of the absurdity and looseness of our laws pertaining to immigration. We are altogether too liberal. This American "cradle of liberty" is being too rapidly filled. There should be a sort of "protective tariff" in this matter of immigration that would materially lessen the volume of the annual current. There should be restrictions that would effectually prohibit the influx of criminal and pauper classes of Europe—many of which are now sent to our shores by the poor-house authorities of foreign countries as the cheapest method of ridding themselves of the burden of their support.

Of the 800,000 or 1,000,000 immigrants landed in this country annually there are probably at least 200,000 of the pauper, criminal and not self-supporting classes; and of those willing to work and who find employment in our factories and work-shops the much larger proportion bear no comparison in skill and efficiency to our own American mechanics. In this over-supply of foreign population, without legal oversight and judicious restriction, lies the future danger of this country. Already the communists and nihilists of Europe are beginning to regard the United States as the land of promise for them.

We believe in checking the stream of immigration. Statesmen did this in the case of the Chinese. Let them now pass laws, that will by the very fact of stopping this indiscriminate foreign increase, be protective of our own American laborers and industries.

With wise restrctions in this direction the periods of hard times, arising from over production, would be less frequent, a more continuous employment would be afforded the workingmen, and the diversified industrial interests would be placed upon a foundation insuring perpetual prosperity to the country.

POPULAR SUMMER RESORT.

During the last few years New York has grown into great popularity as a summer resort. European tourists, instead of spending the entire season at Saratoga, Long Branch, Newport and other fashionable watering places, arrange to stop several weeks in this city. Hundreds of excursion parties are continually coming in from all sections of the country, and the Southerners make a regular rendervous here for the summer.

With Manhattan Beach, Coney Island, Far Rockaway, and many other sea-side resorts in its immediate vicinity, and easy of access, and with its hundreds of elegant hotels, theatres, Central Park, public institutions, and other places of interest, certainly New York possesses more attractive feature than any other Summer Resort.

HIRAM TORREY.

THE Postoffice Department has changed the name of "Garibaldi," an office in North Carolina, to "Belmont," and the railroad running through the town has also changed the name of the station to correspond. The designation of the place was altered at the request of the officials of an educational institution about to be erected there, to whom the name of Garibaldi is particularly obnoxious. It is hoped that Italy will not delare war against this country when she learns of this, for Italy has some big ships which might do our seaport cities some damage. The Italian Government is fond of Garibaldi, too.

H. J. STEPHENS, the English bicyclist, who is making the tour of the world, has been arrested by Russian authorities for crossing the Afghan frontier. Just why a bicyclist shouldn't cross that frontier as well as any other that is smooth enough to enable him to trundle his vehicle across does not appear. Probably the officers of the Czar could not believe it possible that a man could be traveling about in such fashion purely for sport, and regarded his presence in such a place with an apparatus looking like a portable infernal machice as proof positive of sinister intent.

SINCE public attention has been given to hydrophobia it is astonishing what varieties the malady takes. Among Pasteur's patients are Russian moujiks who have been bitten by wolves and a Spaniard who has been bitten by an ass. Hydrophobia from drinking the milk of a mad cow is reported from Kansas City, and there is a strong suspicion that a recent case in Baltimore was hydrophobia from reading about the disease in the newspapers.

THE oleomargarine lobby, whose purpose it is to defeat the bill levying a tax of ten cents a pound on bogus butter, have established a literary bureau which is grinding out prose and poetic praises of the fraudulent stuff at a tremendous rate. If the bill should be defeated, it will probably be because of the affinity existing between bogus butter and bogus statesmanship.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S refusal to discuss the rumors of his prospective marriage is excusable and discreet, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding. The right to discuss such affairs belongs exclusively to the female party to the contract. Nevertheless, we do not concede that she is entitled to make proxies of her grandma and her uncles.

PARLIAMENT will be asked to investigate the alleged utterances of General Wolseley about retiring from the army and leading the Ulster troops against Home Rule in Ireland. However, Wolseley's vociferous mouth has involved him in trouble before now.

Most and the Bail Business.

John Most has been discharged from custody on $1,000 bail. This rampant blatherskite should never have been liberated at all. Moreover, he should be kept in prison until he learns something about the stability of American institutions and his paper, the *Freiheit*, should be suppressed.

This custom of letting known criminals out on bail is wrong, anyway. Why should they have their liberty? And the idea of *selling* liberty to a criminal is despisable. It is too much like giving an undue advantage to the rich, and in that degree is a contradiction of one of the great principles of this government that all men are equal before the law. Oh, no; the man who can purchase his freedom has a great advantage. Here, as in other affairs, money is king.

Did you ever think of it before—the despisable spectacle presented of the municipal government exacting a pledge of money as security, and promising freedom on the strength of that? If the idea of confining a man not yet legally proven to be guilty is abhorrent, why give him freedom, but don't sell his freedom to him. That makes the ruling powers willing to sell what is a man's inherent right, while it withholds a right from another merely because he has neither property or friends. It makes the government as bad as the criminal.

Then it may safely be said that a man who will commit a serious crime will also escape if he has opportunity, and cause a loss to his bondsman, thus defeating the ends of justice. The man who is innocent will not hesitate to wait and submit to the most searching investigation.

But we have wandered from the original subject. John Most, the loud-mouthed dynamiter, was released on bail and continues to utter the most incendiary sentiments through the vile sheet which he edits. He even rejoices over the Socialist outrages perpetrated in Chicago and advises a continuance of them. Why any sane government should permit such a man or such a paper to be at liberty any longer is a mystery.

THE torrent of water which swept away a portion of the town of Xenia, Ohio, and destroyed so many human lives, made a disaster peculiarly sad. Like the memorable Boteners' Run flood in Allegheny, it occurred at night, making the horrors of the calamity the more terrible. So far the year 1886 has been noted for appalling occurrences. A hurricane in Spain yesterday may be added to the list of the year's calamities. More than seventy persons were killed instantly in Madrid, and more than two hundred seriously injured. Further loss of life and great destruction of property no doubt occurred in the provinces, but as the wires were down no information was received from the interior.

JUDGE WOODWARD, of Luzerne county, has just rendered a decision on a hitherto unsettled point. A judgment was entered and execution issued on the 22d of February, from the obligation of which the debtor sought to escape on the ground that the date mentioned was a legal holiday and that legal holidays, like Sunday could not lawfully be used for the transaction of business. Judge Woodward ruled that a statute ordaining a legal holiday is merely directory, not imperative, and that it does not prohibit judicial acts or worldly employment in general.

THE French Government has coined a new silver dollar for circulation in Tonquin. The coin is about the same weight and dimensions as the Mexican dollar. Had we known the French Government contemplated using his new coin, some arrangement might have been made to sell out our stock of trade dollars, or we might, if necessary, have let France have a few million of the cart wheels now being so industriously made and stored away. The trade dollar would have been good enough for the Tonquinese, though.

A CONVICT has his feelings like any other man, and so far as prison discipline will permit they should be respected. Michael Donnelly, of New York, who has just been sentenced to two months' imprisonment, did not feel near so bad over that as over the fact that he was handcuffed to Most while on his was back from court to jail. "It's rather tough, I think," he indignantly remarked to the attendant policeman, "to hook a fellow like that on to me." Donnelly was, indeed, entitled to sympathy.

GENERAL NOTES.

A Sioux Indian is about to take holy orders in Virginia.

A single hair will support the weight of about four ounces.

In Lowell, Mass., there are 400 liquor saloons and only 24 bakeries.

The Hippolyte paid is the name of a 10 cent circus in North Carolina.

A sea lion weighing 2,500 pounds was captured at Astoria, Or., last week.

There are 100 moonshine whiskey prisoners in the Covington, Kentucky, jail.

Barnum has presented one of Jumbo's tusks to the Connecticut Historical Society.

Tobacco in Virginia is selling for less than the cost of fertilizers used upon the land.

Eight hundred buildings have been erected in San Diego, Cal., during the past six months.

The Chicago grand jury has presented a report severely reflecting upon the police management.

The shipment of gold from the mint at Charlotte, N. C., this year, is larger than at any time since 1854.

Miss Ella Harker, of Springfield, O., slipped on a banana peel and had both arms broken by the fall.

Ore containing silver-platinum and copper has been found in the foothills north of Mason Valley, Nev.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will not receive applications for employment from any man who is over 45 years of age.

A lock of Shiller's hair and Goethe's sister ring and cup were sold for a mere bagatelle in Germany the other day.

A library of 2 000 volumes has been established by the Boston and Albany Railroad for the benefit of its employes.

An ex-sea captain who can talk in six languages advertises in New York for a position as chief officer of a canal boat.

It is said that the Congressional Record cost over $125,000 last year, while the sales from it amounted to only $1,604.27.

The average annual yield of the Kimberley diamond mines in South Africa during the past three years has been $12,500 000.

The Hawaiian trade last year employed 214 American ships, one-fourth the entire number of American ships in the foreign trade.

A factory has recently been established in Switzerland in which a very durable cloth is made out of a mixture of wool and peat fiber.

The Virginia organized militia contains 34 white companies, 19 colored companies, three batteries of artillery and three troops of cavalry.

A cave large enough to accommodate all the citizens of the town is to be dug at Clifton, D. T. It is designed as a safeguard against cyclones.

Mrs. J. L. Buckingham, of Sanoma, is the richest fruit farmer in California, owning a mile-long orchard of pear, peach, cherry and apricot trees.

A brewer in Providence is about to turn his establishment into a soap factory, under the influence of the new prohibition laws in his State.

A miner came into Santa Paula lately from San Emidio, who was five days making his way from Mutah, and all that time without a bite to eat.

Several tons of mud lately arrived at Allentown, consigned to farmers in the vicinity, who had paid for it at the rate of $16.95 a ton to a guano agent.

The masons of Berlin, Germany, are striking for 12½ cents an hour. In this country in the leading cities the masons are striking for $3.50 and $4 a day.

An eagle was shot near West Point, O., a few days ago while feeding on the carcass of a sheep which it had killed. The bird measured 6 feet 9 inches across the wings.

In England great damage is done to crocuses every spring by the sparrows. These birds bite off the narrow part of the tube of the plant, in which nectar is secreted.

Two Long Islanders had an odd match at Westhaven for $100 a side, one picking the feathers from four chickens in less time than it took his competitor to skin 12 eels.

Isadore Cohnfeld had Maxey Cobb's four hoofs and tail amputated, and will keep them as touching mementoes of the $60 000 he didn't accept for that intelligent and able piece of horse flesh.

A letter mailed at Minneapolis and addressed to the sheriff of Sauk Rapids, the scene of the disaster, came back with this endorsement, "Cyclone delivery. This letter was found near Rice station, 15 miles from its point of destination."

The Aldermen of New Bedford, Mass., have notified the saloon keepers of the city that "henceforth an unusual number of persons going in or coming out of their places on Sunday will be considered sufficient reason for revocation of licenses."

A writer in the Boston *Transcript* explains to his own satisfaction how the glass eaters chew and swallow glass. He thinks they educate their throats as does the sword-swallower, and then introduce a tube which receives the glass and holds it until it can be removed without detection.

A moonlight mirage was lately witnessed in Illinois. The moon was shinning brightly, but a dense fog hung over the flat lands near St. Joseph, and the passengers in a railway train saw a phantom train suspended in air under the fog bank. The apparition was visible for several minutes.

Dr. R. B. Bibber, of Bath, Me., kindly furnished the funds wherewith to equip John Traynor for the voyage he proposed to make across the Atlantic in a rowboat. Mr. Traynor started last September and has not since been heard from, but Dr. Bibber is not discouraged and says he is prepared to send out another man.

Poetry.

[Co tributed.]

MY SCHOOLMATES.

Listen, my good people, and you shall see
What my schoolmates are and what they be:
There is Howard Harvey, who is called a crank
Because he mashes ladies of highest rank;
And there's Geo. P. Meek, who went to get shaved
And dulled Barber Beck's razors till he roared and raved:
And then comes Andrew Howley, who says smoking is vile,
But just look between his lips once in a while—
You will see something which is about three inches long,
With a light at one end and which smells rather strong.
Now give three cheers for Hugh Taylor, the boy who never gives up,
No, not till he is attacked by some little cur or pup.
Now, here is Elmer Yerger, the sunshine of the school,
Although, I'm sorry to say he's broken many a rule.
Next comes Dan McCafferty, the best hearted Irish lad in town;
He is never seen to scowl—no, not even to frown;
And there is Walter Lembkey, the orator, who can beat Calhoun any time,
For he can talk off poetry without making it rhyme,
So now, my dear school mates, I bid good-bye to you all,
For I shall miss your smiling faces at the new school house next Fall.

W. A. B., THE POET.

THE THREE BILLS.

A gas bill lay on a table green—
The prettiest gas bill ever seen;
Patrician was it puffed with pride;
It reposed at ease on its paper side,
A pink rosy thing, with a margin wide.
The figures on it in a row
Made a stunning handsome little show;
They were four in number, small and sweet,
The cost of many a thousand feet.
You may wager your all, they were there complete!

A plumber's bill on a mantle near
Looked down on the sheet with a covert sneer;
It dryly said: "You look so queer,
Puffed up in your pride while I am here!
Really, now, were it worth my while
I am not quite sure but I dare to smile!
I am away above you—can't you see
You're of no account by the side of me?"
A wrangle ensued between the two,
As troubles from pride will often brew.

An ice bill grinned as it watched the fun,
Not seeming to care for either one;
It glanced at both as they fiercely swelled,
And then remarked that it felt compelled
To interfere in the quarrel there,
And frowned on each with with a savage glare.
"You quarrel for the foremost place."
It said, with a sneer on its clammy face;
"The summer's coming, and then you'll see
Where both of you stand by the side of me."

—*Tid Bits.*

TWO SISTERS.

Two sisters, with their arms entwined, there stand
Before a fortune-teller, vowed with awe,
Who slowly turns with feeble faltering hand
The cards prophetic, like a mystic page.

One dark, one fair, and both fresh as the morn;
One like the flower which blooms in autumn late
The other like the spring's pale, sad first-born,
Together there they wait to learn their fate.

"In life, alas! I see no joy for thee,"
The gypsy said to her, the dark-eyed maid;
"Tell me, I pray, will he at least love me?"
"Yes." "That alone is happiness," she said.

"Love on thy heart shall shed no gladdening ray"—
The gypsy said to her with snow white brow;
"Shall I love him at least, tell me I pray?"
"Yes." Then for me that will be bliss enow."

—*From the French of Coppee.*

TOO HIGH.

I may compare you, though it's trite,
To yonder gleaming star
That blooms upon the field of night
With radiance afar.
I can admire, though never possess,
That jewel of the sky;
Like it, oh, queen of loveliness,
You come too high!

Our Story Teller.

Hiding in the Closet.

When Robin Sperry went down to Luckden to preach he had only one old friend there, but he made a great impression on his hearers, and in the "revivals" that followed his arrival a great many very singular things were reported of him—amongst others, that he had driven the devil out of old James Barrow, the notorious drunkard of the place; and that people had seen him—the devil—run down the hill and jump into the lake. The truth of the matter was that Robin was a sensational young preacher, and that he had set people thinking. But talking and exaggeration went on, and the rumor grew, and the church was filled as it had not been for years.

Walking home in the evening after one of the brightest meetings of the course, arm-in-arm with his college friend, Silas Weld, Robin heard more of what was reported of him than he had heard before.

"I am sorry," he said. "I think such things hurt religion, and also hurt the preacher of whom they are said."

"*You* are not hurt by it yet, anyhow," said Silas. "Margorie does not believe in this nonsense, but she calls you the best preacher she ever heard."

"She's very kind, I'm sure," said the young minister. "Who is she?"

"She's the girl I'm engaged to Robin," said Silas. "You must have noticed her. She's the prettiest girl in the place. She sits in the third pew on the right, and wears a purple velvet hat with tea roses on it."

"Oh, yes, I've seen her," said Robin; "and she is a very pretty girl, indeed; and so that's Margorie!"

"We are very fond of each other," said Silas, "but her father and I are not so fond. I am going to call there this evening. Will you go with me?"

"It's late for a call—half-past nine," said Robin.

"No doubt," replied Silas; "but I have to go when I can. Her father is away to-night. There's a meeting of the Agricultural Association at the hotel. They generally stay until midnight, so this is my time."

"You are responsible for the hour," said Robin. "I shall not say anything more about it. Take me, if you think best, or leave me, if you think better, when we get to the door; we have been friends too long not to be quite frank with each other."

"Oh! I want you to know Margorie," said Silas; and so, with much more talk he led his friend, by certain roads and lanes, to the door of a substantial farmhouse, through the windows of which cheerful lights were visible.

"I think it's likely she's in the sitting-room," said Silas, opening a gate which let through the orchard, and making his way to a low door, shaded by a porch, at which he knocked in a rather peculiar manner; and in an instant the door flew open, and there stood Margorie herself, a pretty picture with the lamp-light glinting on her golden-hair.

"Margorie," said the young man, "I have brought Robin Sperry to see you. Miss Garnet, Mr. Sperry." said Margorie—"very glad. Walk in, please. Silas, I'm glad to see you, you know; but pa will not be late to-night; he said so. Pa is a little particular, Mr. Sperry. He was a sea captain once, and I think that makes him so; and he isn't very friendly yet to Silas."

"I've explained that to Robin," said Silas.

"Then he'll not think me rude if I say, don't stay long," said Margorie. "Pa would be glad to have you call on him, Mr. Sperry," added Margorie "He admires to hear you preach, and so do I."

"Thank you," said Robin; "I think it is very kind of you to tell me so."

Robin said, "Thank you" again; and they sat together around the fire—the first of the season—and talked very pleasantly. Margorie was hospitable, and cider and doughnuts, which neither of the young men were yet fastidious enough to despise, were brought from the store room. Robin told Margorie that should he permanently locate in the place his mother would come to keep house for him. And Margorie declared that she would be very glad.

"I love elderly ladies," she said, "and you know I haven't any one, mother, aunt, or grandmother. I hope your mother will like me."

Robin said that he knew she would, and he thought also that it would be well for Margorie if she had such a wise counsellor; and over the cider and cake they fell to talking very pleasantly and merrily. In the midst of this a slow clumping on the broad path became audible. Suddenly the pleasant chat was interrupted. Margorie clasped her plump hands, and Silas turned red.

"It is pa," whispered Margorie. "Oh I told you he'd be early, Silas. Hide yourself. Run into the store-closet—run. Poor pa has been taking too much hard cider—I know it by his walk. He always does at the agricultural meeting. He'll stop at nothing. Hide yourself—hide in the store-closet."

"You see, Robin," said Silas, doubtfully, "he promised to kill me if he found me in his house again—and Margorie is nervous about it—come."

"Thank you," said Robin, "go yourself if you like."

And Margorie, who had never ceased wringing and clasping her hands, pushed Silas into the closet, and turned to face her father, who now stumbled in with rather irregular steps, and with a face as red as one of his own prize beets after a good boiling.

"Oh, pa," she cried, hypocritically, "how nice and early you are! And here is the minister waiting to see you."

"How do you do, dominie?" said Mr. Garnet. "Proud, I'm sure. Been to the agricultural meetin'. One of my yearly, dooties. Sit down; sit down. Glad to see you. Fill your glass. I mean get out something to eat and drink, Margorie."

"I have, Pa," said Margorie. "Don't you see the pitcher." And she handed him a glass.

"Sweet cider," said Mr. Garnet contemptuously. "Well, boys and girls, women and dominies like it, I suppose. How's religion comin' on? Pretty brisk?"

Robin answered as best he could, and cast an anxious glance toward the store-closet.

"Sit down. Sit down, dominie," said Mr. Garnet. "Make yourself at home. I've wanted to talk to you this good while. They say you can drive the devil out of folk. Now tell me, how does he get into 'em? Tell me that."

Mr. Garnet was very far from sober and Robin thought it best to humor him.

"When Satan enters a man's heart, it is through sin, of course," he said.

"What kind of sin?" asked Mr. Garnet, in a thick tipsy voice.

"Many. Murder, theft, lying and drunkenness amongst others," said Robin.

"Look here, young man," said Mr. Garnet, trying to rise, "I've got plenty of hard cider aboard, I know. Now if Satan is in me drive him out. I want to see him. Come now; go at it. I'm a good Methodist.

"I think I had better take my leave Miss Garnet," said Robin.

But before the words were out of his lips the door of the store-closet opened softly. The lamp was suddenly blown out, a smell of brimstone filled the room, and an awful figure stood before them. Silas had possessed himself of a box of matches, dampened the ends, and rubbed them over his face and hands, and with two more bunches blazing in his hands stood before the horrified Mr. Garnet, his head tied up in a silk handkerchief and a table, cloth draping his shoulders.

"You want to see me, here I am," he said in hollow tones. "You reprobate, look at me."

Margorie shrieked: Robin stood bewildered: old Mr. Garnet sank on his knees.

"Oh, dominie, keep him away," he cried. "Oh, what am I to do?"

"Soften your hard heart," said Silas. "Don't drink so much cider, and let your daughter marry the man of her choice, or I'll come and fetch you next Christmas;" and flourishing the flaming matches, he dashed out of the door.

"Get up, Mr. Garnet," said Robin. "Get up, sir; sit in this chair. Miss Garnet, will you light the lamp? Be calm, be calm!" and he held the old man's hand in his.

"Dominie," gasped Mr. Garnet, "you won't raise him again! There, don't speak; listen: Why do you suppose he came?"

Robin was very wrong; he confessed this afterward, but he was very young also, and in love himself with a girl who was far away, and Silas was his friend; and instead of making an explanation of the facts he merely answered:

"I think he told you himself why he came."

"I know it isn't right to drink too much. I'll swear off," said Mr. Garnet, "But about letting Margorie have Silas Weld, why, his grandfather and my father, they went to law about the three acre meadow, and my mother used to say she'd no opinion at all of Mrs. Weld, his ma."

"They are all dead, I believe," said Robin; all gone to their account."

"Yes," said Mr. Garnet. "Yes—that's true. A year—the old boy said he'd fetch me in a year, if I didn't let Silas have Margorie. Dominie, what's your opinion of Silas?"

"He will be good to your daughter," said Robin "I—I—"

Oh, how wrong he was again. He repented it afterwards in sackcloth and ashes; but he finished the sentence with:

"If I were you Mr. Garnet, after what you have seen, I would not tempt Satan."

A week from that day, Mr. Garnet surprised the temperance lodge by taking the pledge, and shortly after Margorie and Silas were married.

It surely was not his fault, but the young minister's fame was greatly increased by a report that he had driven Satan out of old Mr. Garnet, and the temporary sojourn which a Methodist minister makes in any place was a pleasant one for Luckden and for himself.

Over and over again he had told himself that he had been accessory to a very disgraceful sort of a trick, utterly unworthy his dignity; but Silas and Margorie were happy, and old Mr. Garnet was a temperance man, and Robin never made a confession.

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Previous to entering upon his present calling as a piano dealer Mr. Pfafflin was a locomotive engineer. When the lady reached the store she had the good fortune to find Mr. Pfafflin in, and she asked his judgment on the style and brand of a piano.

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—It is the "duck of a bonnet" that makes a young girl's head swim.

Etiquette in Eating.

An English Magazine writer says that table manners are best "disclosed" by observing how one eats asparagus, oranges, artichokes and grapes. And here he leaves the reader plunged in a sea of dark despair by not telling just how these esculents should be eaten. As many people may read that item and suddenly have grave doubts started in their minds about their table manners, we have been at considerable pains to consult the best authorities on the subject, with the following result:

1. Asparagus should be eaten with the teeth, if you have teeth. If not, and it is cooked tender, it may be 'gummed' without any injurious effects. If it is served on toast, as is quite customary and *comme il faut*, both should be eaten together; that is, every bite should comprise a hunk of toast and a section of asparagus. Never on any occasion draw a stalk of asparagus through the fingers for the purpose of squeezing off the dressing on to the toast. That is decidedly *de drop*. In fact, it is better to use a fork than the fingers in handling both toast and asparagus. If it has attained considerable age, and the integuments cannot readily be severed by the ordinary feather-edged case-knife, it is permissible (although here is a difference of opinion among authorities) to it chew as you would stick licorice; but it requires great finesse to dispose of the wad after the juice has been extracted. It is not worth while to swallow it, as there is no more nutriment in back-number asparagus than in a dried corn stalk, and indeed a dozen or two ten-inch lengths might cause a doctor's bill, possibly death. Gentlemen can dispose of the useless stalk after chewing it awhile better than can the ladies, as the former may go through the motions of wiping off the mustache, mouth and chin with the hand, dextrously enfold the defunct asparagus and drop it skillfully on the plate or table cloth. This act should not be accompanied by any hilarity, nor should anybody else who notices it make invidious remarks. If you are a great lover of asparagus and find it necessary to masticate a very large number of stalks to get the required amount of satisfaction, and feel any delicacy about seeing a great pile on or beside your plate, you may drop them in your lap until the meal is concluded, when you can put them in your pocket for the present. Another good rule in eating old and tough asparagus is: Don't eat it.

After reading the above, nobody ever need have any doubts about the proper way to get away with asparagus. Now for

2. Oranges. Anybody who don't know how to eat an orange is to be pitied. The only correct way—the plan nature intended should be followed—is to suck it. Many people go to infinite pains, peel their oranges carefully, divide them into sections, and then daintily eat the pieces, sometimes even putting sugar on them. To be sure, Nature has provided a series of divisions, but probably they were not made for convenience in eating the fruit, as it is undeniable that oranges are better sucked than eaten in any other way. Ask any boy. All attempts to cook them have so far proved a failure. The peel should never be eaten, and it is not considered etiquette to snap the seeds towards anybody at the dinner table, on account of the danger of putting out an eye, which would naturally mar the joyous occasion.

3. Artichokes. The eating of artichokes is nearly a lost art (a joke), as this vegetable has almost entirely fallen into disuse. In fact, many people of the present day never saw an artichoke and wouldn't know one if it were brought to them on a plate or they saw the plant growing in a garden. This is strange, for it was formerly esteemed highly as an article of food. The writer remembers a song that used to be quite popular, the refrain of which was

"Artichokes and cauliflowers,
Will you buy, will you buy of me?
They are the finest artichokes
That ever you did see."

The botanical name of the artichoke is *cynara scolymus*, and it is a plant somewhat resembling a thistle, "with a dilated, imbricated and prickly calyx. The head is composed of numerous oval scales, enclosing the florets, sitting on a broad receptacle, which, with the fleshy base of the scales, forms the food portion." There is also the "Jerusalem artichoke," a species of sunflower (*helianthus tuberosus*) bearing a tuber something like the potato. 'Jerusalem,' in this connection, is a corruption of the Italian word *girasole* (sunflower.)

And right here comes a confession, by Jerusalem. Notwithstanding all the erudition displayed above, (taken mainly from the dictionary), the writer confesses with shame that to the best of his knowledge, belief and recollection, he never saw nor partook of the genuine *cynara scolymus*, but it must have been the Jerusalem artichoke that he and the rest of the gang used to purloin from a certain garden and eat raw, and hence he is all at sea in regard to giving instructions about eating the artichoke proper in a proper manner. Presumably it could be boiled and eaten with the aid of a knife and fork, the same way that boiled cabbage is.

4. Grapes. This is an easy one. Here the knife and fork do not figure at all. Nothing can appear more awkward than to see a man trying to spear grapes with his fork, unless it be the sight of one endeavoring to skin them with his knife, as you would peel an onion. The correct way, of course, is to pull the grapes one by one from the stems, point the little cavity made by the separation towards the cavity in your face, and shoot them in as rapidly as may be; not too rapidly, but just fast enough. Some scientists advocate swallowing the seeds, and even the skins, claiming that they are an aid to digestion, the same as gravel in a hen's crop; but it would seem advisable to discard the seeds and skin as a general thing. There's no use in being over-economical at the risk of bringing on sickness and a doctor's bill. The debris of the grapes may be disposed of as hereinbefore described when eating asparagus. Should any of the seeds get under your set of "store teeth," you will have to knock off work unless you can surreptitiously and clandestinely remove them with your tongue, for people would regard it as a breach of etiquette should you take out the teeth and wipe out the cavity with a napkin. Therefore the custom of eating grapes about the last thing is a good one. If your upper set fits badly, and any seeds find their way over that, then indeed are you undone, and may have to excuse yourself from the table a moment to fix matters. A judicious fit of coughing will come in here to good advantage.

Finally, as to grapes, if you don't swallow the skin and seeds, you can eat all you will hold, with impunity, and in their season they are inexpensive.

The Toy Spider.

Ellick and his father had been more like chums than father and son, and the boy was at a loss to know how to pass the long evenings since his parental sire had become the possessor of the consolation of religion. Before, it had been a dozen or more games of poker, then to bed, but now the old gentleman was to be found on the foremost seat in church, directly in front of the preacher, and nearly always asleep after the first quarter of an hour of the sermon.

Happening to be in town, Ellick saw for the first time one of those hideous toy spiders with glaring eyes and hairy movable legs. Upon his return home he carried with him one of the mock insects.

That afternoon he climbed to the loft of the church and bored a hole in the wooden ceiling just over the position usually occupied by the minister.

Returning early that night he located himself in the loft with his eye at the peep-hole, and the spider and silk thread attached close at hand. The sermon had got well under way and old man Gratson (Ellick's father) was peacefully sleeping on the front seat with his head thrown back and his mouth open. The preacher, hymn-book in hand, was slowly reading the song of praise.

Carefully Ellick lowered the spider through the hole. It settled toward the bald head of the preacher in a perfectly natural manner, its hairy legs flopping and sawing. Feeling something tickling his shiny pate, he slapped it lightly. The tickling was removed, but began again instantly. This time the preacher bestowed a resounding smack that made his head ring. He looked upward and saw the hideous object leering at him. With a muffled yell of terror he struck at the horrible insect with the hymn-book. The spider was not there. Such was the force of the blow the heavy book went flying. It struck old man Gratsen squarely in the face, the sharp corner nearly knocking out one of his eyes. Old man Gratsen, thus rudely awakened, leaped to his feet with an astonished snort.

"Hyer thar!" he shouted. "What d'ye mean by that?"

The minister was dancing around in the extremity of agony, striking at the spider with both hands.

"Ah, hah! You done that er purpose, hey?"

Gratsen was on his muscle at once. Leaping to the rostrum he grasped the preacher by the neck and they went at it like mad cats. 'Zipity bumb!' over went the pulpit and both men rolled on the floor, clawing and thumping. The efforts of the congregation to separate them were fruitless. Both men were nearly frenzied and resisted all attempts to pull them apart. One brilliant genius lifted the cover off the baptistry and the combatants were dropped into the water.

That cooled the fires of wrath. They crawled out of the water and stood on opposite sides glaring at each other.

"What do you mean by—" began the preacher, but old man Gasten withdrew and ever since no effort has been able to bring him back to the fold.

"W'en a preacher half kills a feller for jist fallin' asleep in church, I ain't got no more use for him," he used to say. "Look at that thar eye."

All Sorts.

This is the season of the year when amateur photographers perpetrate atrocities on unoffending landscapes.

A tornado had a race with a locomotive the other day. The tornado came in first and was not out of wind at the finish.

Professor in astronomy—"Mr. J., can you tell me which constellation the sun will enter next?" "Can't sir." Professor—"Correct—the constellation of Cancer."

A writer says that "melancholy is another name for tough." It may sound less harsh to call a beef-steak melancholy, but the word doesn't seem to describe its condition so truthfully.

The Emperor of Germany always pays his fare when traveling on the railroads of his country. After all a republican form of government possesses some advantages over an imperial.

"My good man," said the philanthrophist to the street laborer, "do you never have cause to grumble at your position?" "No, sir," was the answer, "I took my pick at the start."

Her little brother (holding up the cat)—"Say "Boo," Mr. Smith." Mr. Smith—"What for, Bobby?" Her little brother—"I want to know if you can. Sister says you can't say "Boo to a cat."

A Minneapolis girl went out to buy gingerbread the other day and returned home married. It is said that confectioners in that town cannot now begin to supply the demand for gingerbread.

Husband (impatiently to wife)—"I told you I only wanted half a cup of tea, and, as usual, you've filled it to the top. Don't you know what half full is?" Mother-in-law (grimly)—"She ought to by this time."

What they were given: Head waiter—"James, see what those two men want at table number seven." James [returning]—"They say they are not particular what they have." Head waiter—"Well, give them the regular dinner, then."

Mounted the Ladder.

In 1882 a dinner party was given in New York City, Senator Henry G. Davis sat at one end of the table, Simon Cameron, of Pennsylvania, sat at the other, and Gen. W. T. Sherman at the head. The General began a reminiscence of his life, saying:

"When I was a lieutenant——"

"Come, now, Sherman," interrupted Mr Davis, "were you ever a lieutenant?"

"Yes," he replied, "I was a lieutenant about the time you were a brakeman on a freight train."

"Well, boys," observed Cameron, "I don't suppose either of you ever cut cordwood for a living, as I did."

A Marriage Mix.

I got acquainted with a young widow, observes a recent writer, who lived with her stepdaughter in the same house. I married the widow. Shortly afterward my father fell in love with the stepdaughter of my wife and married her. My wife became the mother in-law and also the daughter-in-law of my own father; my wife's stepdaughter is my stepmother, who is the stepdaughter of my wife. My father's wife has a boy: he is naturally my stepbrother because he is the son of my father and of my stepmother; but because he is the son of my wife's stepdaughter, so is my wife the grandmother of the little boy, and I am the grandfather of my stepbrother. My wife also has a boy, my step mother is consequently the stepsister of my boy, and is also his grandmother, because he is the child of her stepson; and my father is the brother-in-law of my son, because he has got his stepsister for a wife. I am the brother-in-law of my mother, my wife is the aunt of her own son, my son is the grandson of my father, and I am my own grandfather.

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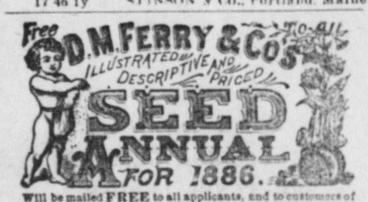

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Earl of Surrey as a Rioter.

Apropos of the recent London riots, it may be interesting to recall the fact that the famous earl of Surrey was once accused before the privy council of rioting in London streets and breaking windows with a crossbow. His defense was a singularly ingenious one. "My motive," he said, "was a religious one, though I confess it lies open to misconstruction. It grieved me, my lords, to see the licentious manners of the citizens of London. Was I to suffer these unhappy men to perish without warning? Common charity forbade. I therefore went at midnight through the streets and shot from my crossbow at their windows, that the stones passing noiseless through the air and breaking in upon their guilty secrecy might remind them of the suddenness of the punishment which the Scriptures tell us divine justice will inflict on impenitent sinners, and so lead them to a reformation of manners."

Base Ball.

A game of base ball was played between the State College nine and the Lewisburg University nine, at State College, on Wednesday afternoon, the 12th, in answer to the former's challenge. A large crowd of eager spectators was present and at 3:30 o'clock the game opened. During the first half of the contest the College nine did very creditable playing, including the pitching, some good fielding and a few well-caught fouls, while Lewisburg's playing was correspondingly poor. In the latter part, the College boys, due to negligence rather than inability, made some bad plays, allowing Lewisburg, on the last inning, to come up with seven runs, but for which they would have had a poor showing indeed. State College can boast of material for an excellent nine, and it lacks only a moderate amount of careful practice to enable it to stand high, if not at the head of the College nines of the State.

Following is the score:

State College	3	2	9	4	0	1	1	0	1	—21
Lewisburg	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	7	—9

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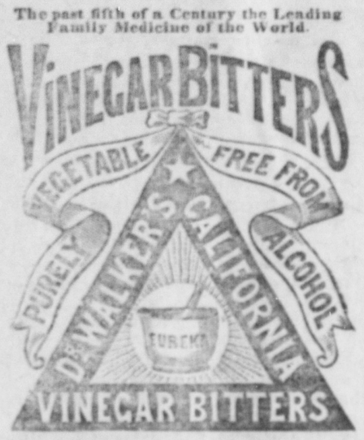

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Jaehne Found Guilty.

NEW YORK, May 16.—In the Jaehne trial yesterday, counsel for the defense moved that the indictment be dismissed, as the grand jury had been tricked into making a false presentment. It was a fraudulent record, and should be quashed. Furthermore, that there was no evidence of the receipt of a promise or agreement to receive a bribe, and that no evidence that it had been received in this county had been adduced. Judge Barrett held that the points were not well taken, and overruled the motion.

After some quibbling, the prisoner was placed in the box as a witness in his own behalf. He emphatically denied that he had been offered or had accepted any bribe for his vote on the Broadway franchise bill, but that he voted for it because he thought it would prove a benefit to the city. Jaehne denied that he ever told Byrnes that he had kept Moloney's "boodle" one night when Moloney was drunk.

At 11 o'clock counsel concluded their arguments, and the jury retired. At 1 15 this morning the jury, after being out two hours, returned a verdict of guilty. Jaehne received the verdict with head erect, lips set and every fiber strained to a painful tension. The jury was given a recess until Monday, it not being lawful to discharge it on Sunday. Jaehne was then taken to the Tombs.

The Victims of the Cyclone.

WILKINSON, Ind., May 14.—The cyclone of Wednesday night lasted only five minutes, but it totally destroyed nine houses. The killed are: Samuel White farmer; Glen Smith, son of J. W. Smith The wounded are: J. W. Smith, wife and child, Eli Cross and family, Mrs. Ada White and daughter, Ira Shaffer, and several others were slightly injured.

TIPTON, Ind., May 14.—Of those who suffered by the cyclone, five members of the family of Uriah Gates are lying at the point of death. One child, named Grace, is already dead. Miss Barges is still alive, but unconscious. Mrs. Marsh Tucker and one of her children are seriously injured. The family of Lon Deal has been brought to Tipton for treatment. Samuel Van Water and wife are considered out of danger. The damage in that vicinity is estimated at from $60,000 to $100,000.

The Old World's Weather.

PARIS, May 16.—The weather in France is cold and squally. Terrific storms have occurred throughout the country. Near Montpelier the vineyards have been destroyed. The damage is placed at 1,000,000 francs. A hurricane passed over the town and partially destroyed it. Several persons were killed and a number were injured.

Severe gales have also been experienced in Germany. Two ships that were lying in the river Oder foundered and five persons were drowned. A cyclone which passed over Lonato, a town of Lombardy, destroyed a large number of houses. Five persons were killed.

Higbee Sorry for Pattison.

BUTLER, May 14.—Superintendent E. E. Higbee said to a gentleman here that Governor Pattison was being pretty generally criticised for his hasty political action regarding the orphan schools. He believes the Governor is the subject of designing politicians, and thinks when he became Governor he was entirely free of political influences. The Superintendent believes that shrewd party schemers have gained the confidence of the Governor, who is to be excused for hasty action on the score of being but 36 years old and the Chief Executive of so great a Commonwealth as Pennsylvania.

Fire and Panic in a Theatre.

COLUMBUS, May 18.—A fire broke out in the stage scenery while "Uncle Tom's Cabin" was being presented at Westerville, this county, last night. A wild scene of confusion followed. The list of burned and injured is as follows: Mrs. Wharry, C. H. Matthews, Willie Frazier, William Knox, wife and child, L. Clouse, A. J. Delamater, Walter Asher, Willie Haynes, Ada Markley, and Mrs. Adams, an actress. Harry Evans is injured, probably fatally. The fire was extinguished without loss to the building.

Bogus Notices of an Increase.

IRWIN, Pa., May 14.—Notices were posted about the neighborhood last night announcing that hereafter the price of mining would be sixty cents per ton, but it was soon discovered that they were not issued by the companies, and the spirits of the striking miners fell accordingly. No names were signed to the papers. The German and Bohemian miners are much displeased with the manner of distributing relief and held a meeting to try to obtain an equal distribution to all.

Ample Time to Prepare Indictments.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 14.—Deputy Attorney General Snodgrass said this evening, when asked about the indictments against the owners of the syndicate orphans' schools, that they had not been presented and that there was ample time to prepare them before the next term of Court.

They Were Acquitted.

MATTOON, Ills., May 14.—Emma Fleetwood and her brothers George and John, on trial for the murder of their aged parents on the night of April 9, 1884, were acquitted to-day. There was a great clapping of hands and other demonstrations of joy by the friends of the accused.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 13.—Petroleum was dull but steady. The market opened at 72, advanced to 72½, and at 1 o'clock this afternoon 72¾ was bid. The market closed at 72½.

The President's Bride.

PARIS, May 18.—Miss Folsom's wedding trosseau, which will soon reach New York, has for days past been the talk of Paris. The wedding dress is a poem in ivory satin. The skirt and corsage of the marriage costume are simple, but their simplicity is relieved by a wealth of soft silk and India muslin embroidered with orange blossoms attached to the left side of the skirt, and nearly meeting the court train, which is over four yards in length. The train is slightly rounded, and falls in two organ pleats. The delicate muslin scarfs, embroidered with orange blossoms, are daintily draped across the front of the corsage, and crossing from left to right is also a broad ceinture of satin fastened to the hip.

The bridal veil is nearly seven yards long, and is of plain white silk tulle, relieved by myrtle and orange blossoms. It is to be worn high on the head, and will fall gracefully over the train, completely covering it.

For a traveling dress Miss Folsom has chosen a charming deep gray lainage, striped; it is cut full and plain, over a simple, dark gray silk petticoat. The corsage opens so as to reveal a double-breasted waistcoat, trimmed half way between the throat and the waist with velvet, terminating at the top in a high collar, fastened by a coquettish gray velvet bow.

Among the other exquisite costumes is a claret and cream striped woolen dress to be worn over a silk skirt bordered with a deep band of claret velvet. The tunic, which is short, is draped in pleats, high on one side, and left loose on the other. The back of the retrousse fastens on to the long-waisted body showing a claret velvet half waistcoat and a dainty chemisette of cream etamine tied at the throat with a narrow velvet ribbon.

Cause of Death a Mystery.

NEW YORK, May 16.—On April 30 Franklin Rupert Reed, of Grinnell, Iowa, a graduate of Iowa college and a member of the junior class in the Yale Theological seminary, disappeared from New Haven. On Thursday the body of a man with a bullet wound in the head and numerous bones broken was found floating in the Hudson river, opposite this city. The remains were on Friday identified by a Mrs. Wenger as those of her husband, from whom she had been separated a number of years. This appears to have been a mistake, as two Yale students positively identity the body as that of young Reed. They said that the deceased had a brother named Frederick W. Reed, who is a lawyer at 213 Nicolett avenue, Minneapolis. How the student met his death is a mystery.

A Monument to Schiller.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 15.—The capricious weather of yesterday morning did not dampen the ardor of the enthusiastic Germans, by whom the day had been set apart to honor the Poet Schiller, by the dedication of the magnificent monument to his memory which has been erected at Lincoln park, and which was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies in the afternoon. The pedestal, which is surmounted by the bronze figure, is of Quincy granite with the name of the poet cut into the front of the central block. This rises twelve feet from the ground, and above it the statue towers ten feet. Schiller is presented in an oratorical attitude, in street apparel, with a roll of manuscript in his left hand, the right hand across his breast in a gesturing position. As far as any one could judge, every German organization in the city and all shades of German opinion had representatives present.

Ex-President Arthur Failing Steadily.

NEW YORK, May 17.—The *Times* this morning says ex-President Arthur's condition has been steadily growing worse during the past week, but he has not relapsed so far as to have lost all the ground gained during his expected rally of about ten days ago. Some of the more enthusiastic of his friends believed that the turn for the better had come, but the steady decline since then has dampened this enthusiasm, and there are but few, if any, who now believe that the ex President will ever again leave his house alive. Sudden and excited rallies, followed by gradual but steady declines, are peculiarities of Mr. Arthur's disease well known to physicians and watched by them with grave fears. The danger is ever present that the poisoned blood of the patient will suffuse the brain, and when that happens the victim of Bright's disease feels the last of his sufferings. Mr. Arthur bears his confinement patiently and bravely, and knowing as he does, the hopelessness of his case, makes the labor of love of his attendants as light as possible by his gentleness and unvarying cheerfulness.

Why All Spain is Rejoicing.

MADRID, May 17.—Queen Christina today gave birth to a son. In response to the summons there had assembled at the palace, to await the accouchement, all the cabinet ministers, foreigns diplomatic, representatives of the principal civic and military magnates, deputations of members of cortes and other distinguished persons.

HAVANA, May 17.—A dispatch has just been received from Madrid, announcing that the queen regent has given birth to a male child. There is great rejoicing over the event. Cannon are being fired and the people are generally celebrating the birth of the prince.

Gladstone Wants Parliament Dissolved.

LONDON, May 17.—It is reported that Gladstone has written to the queen that she must dissolve parliament unless the majority against the home rule bill be so great as to justify its opponents in undertaking the government with a chance of succeeding in passing on Irish legislation. The ministerialists say that in the event of the bill being carried by a small majority, or being defeated by a small majority, parliament will be dissolved, and if the majority against the bill reaches forty the ministry will resign. The queen is opposed to a dissolution of the parliament.

Mrs. Thompson Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The senate in executive session to-day confirmed the nomination of Mrs. Thompson to be postmaster at Louisville. Mr. Blackburn opposed the nominaton in a long speech and wanted the injunction of secrecy removed from the proceedings of the case in executive session. Mr. Beck defended the nomination and the injunction of secrecy was not removed.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

Howard Items.

Mr. Thos. Sanders has been laid up all Spring with an injured foot, resulting from a wound inflicted by an axe.

Mr. Christ Schenck, who has been suffering from a felon all Winter, will be obliged to have his thumb amputated.

The new Evangelical church building is about completed and is a credit to that denomination, and will be dedicated on Sunday, May 30, '86.

People who have friends buried in the Howard cemetery will meet in that place on Saturday afternoon, the 22d inst., to put the ground in proper repair.

Most of our surplus laborers have gone to the woods and secured employment at bark pealing in Tioga, Clinton, Cameron and Centre counties.

It is currently reported on the street that Mr. John Lauth's new hoop mill will be removed to Milton as soon as the stock now on hand is worked up.

Next week a full confession of a Howard Mugwump may be expected in the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN, followed the week after by an open confession of Dr. Burchard, of the "Dutch ring." Persons desiring extra copies of these remarkable confessions should order extra REPUBLICANS early.

New pavements and boardwalks have been put down and old ones repaired on all the streets in our borough, and Howard now presents one of the cleanliest and best looking interior towns of the county.

We are informed that the county commissioners have agreed to put an iron bridge across Bald Eagle creek, below town, and furnish eight hundred dollars toward building the abutments, the township of Howard to furnish the balance of the money required and construct the approaches to the bridge.

—Mr. Jno. Halderman, of near Lemont, called on Monday. He was a soldier of the late war, being engaged in the struggle a period of three years and eight months. He tells us that, although he has lived in this county for many years, he has never once been summoned to be a juror. Some persons are repeatedly summoned in that capacity while others are never called. We believe with Mr. Halderman that the names of jurors might be more evenly distributed.

—Sunday was a favorable day for babies and we hear from them in all directions. For instance, at the handsome residence of R. M. Magee, Esq., on Penn street, a baby boy appeared and has been made quite at home. It's a delightful place to stay, especially for young folks. We hear also that, at Mr. Will McGowan's home, in Roopsburg, an infant son arrived. The baby was warmly welcomed and seems to be well satisfied with his experience thus far in this world.

—The gifted "Patty" informs us that the comedy, "A Lesson in Love," is not a "side-splitting" composition. Those who visit the entertainment next Monday evening need have no fears of such disastrous consequences. Oh, no; it is a beautiful, emotional comedy with just a vein of humor running through it—gliding along so tenderly and softly, in fact, as to seem like the gentle murmur of a brook. Tickets at Sourbeck's.

—General J. P. Gobin, commander of the Department of Pennsylvania, G. A. R.; Major J. M. Lowry, Junior Vice Commander; Colonel Thomas Stewart, Assistant Adjutant General, and Cap't Austin Curtin, Past Department Commander, visited quite a number of Posts last week, giving instruction and aid.

—The lovely black silk grenadine costume which was only partly finished on the occasion of Madame Duncan's reception is now completed. She considers it one of the finest she has made since coming to Bellefonte. It will remain at her establishment until Friday, where those who call may see it.

—The subject of Rev. Dr. Talmage's sermon in Brooklyn on Sunday was "Capital vs. Labor." His text was from Gen. 1:2, "The earth was without form and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters."

—Tickets for reserved seats at the "White Pilgrim," to be given in the College Armory on Friday night, may be had at Green's drug store, where a plan of the Hall may be seen. It is expected that excursion will be run to Lemont, to return after the play.

—The relations of the late John DuBois who are thinking about contesting the will because they did not get enough should "go slow." Mr. DuBois understood perfectly what he was doing and when that is the case no court will break the will.

—Rev. Mr. Foster, of Huntingdon, presiding elder of the Juniata district, and Rev. George Leidy, of Tyrone, presiding elder of the Altoona district, will take charge of the Newton Hamilton campmeeting this year.

McCabe to Hang.

HONESDALE, May 14.—James P. McCabe, convicted of the murder of Michael Reilly in December last, was to-day sentenced to be hanged.

SPECIAL MENTION.

Of Interest to Ladies.

The new treatment for ladies' diseases discovered by Dr. Mary A. Gregg, the distinguished English Physician and nurse, which has revolutionized the entire mode of treating these complaints in England, is now being introduced into the U. S., under a fair and novel plan.

Sufficient of this remedy for *one month's trial treatment* is sent *free* to every lady who is suffering from any disease common to the sex who sends her address and 13 2ct stamps for expenses, charges, etc.

It is a *positive cure* for any form of female diseases and the *free trial package* is many times sufficient to effect a *permanent* cure. Full directions accompany the package (which is put up in a plain wrapper) also price list for future reference. *No trial packages will be sent after Aug 1st*, 1886. Address, GREGG REMEDY COMPANY, PALMYRA, N. Y. m13

The schooner Thomas Rackett from Port La Tour, Nova Scotia, with a cargo of 7,000 live lobsters, arrived in New York last week. It was the first cargo of lobsters ever received from Nova Scotia, and is an experiment which it is hoped will be successful, as the American lobster is growing smaller every year.

You Who Lead Sedentary Lives

will find great relief from constipation, headache and nervousness, by taking Simmons Liver Regulator. It is a simple, harmless, vegetable compound, sure to relieve you, and can do no injury. Persons of sedentary habits often suffer with kidney affections. If they would maintain the strength of the digestive organs and improve the quality of the blood by taking the Regulator it would restore the kidneys to health and vigor.

It is well to inculate habits of economy in your children by giving them a toy saving bank and teaching them to save up all their spare pennies. Besides, you will find the bank convenient to borrow from at low interest when you get hard up yourself.—*Somerville Journal.*

FOR LADIES WHO FREQUENTLY NEED A regulator in the many little colds, sick headaches, nervous complaints and other troubles incident to sudden exposure and to indoor life, and yet do not need a regular physician, ROYAL ELIXIR is an invaluable relief. The ELIXIR is a household remedy, and it acts like a charm in children's ailments

—The musical and literary entertainment, to have been given on the 20th instant, by the ladies of the Lutheran church, has been postponed until the 15th of June.

FOR BURNS, SCALDS, BRUISES and all pain and soreness of the flesh, the grand household remedy is Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Be sure you get the genuine.

"There are two things which I positively will not eat for supper," said Gubbins. "And what are they?" asked his friend. "Breakfast and dinner."

All our New Woolens for the Spring and Summer season—1886—just received. Leave your order now. MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

—What a fortunate thing that clouds and wind Sunday night prevented a frost that might have done much damage!

This is the best season in which to purify the blood, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier. 100 Doses One Dollar.

Bellefonte Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. BELLEFONTE, May 20, 1886.

Red Wheat, per bushel	88
Mixed Wheat	84
Buckwheat	40
Rye per bushel	60
Corn (shelled)	45
Oats	35
Clovereed, fair to good	87 00
do prime to extra prime	7 50
do choice	8 50
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 00
Flour, wholesale	4 25
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$18 00
Nova Scotia plaster	8 50

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12
Dried currants, per lb	10
New raisins, per lb	12½
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	18
Cheese per pound	18
Country hams per pound	12
Hams, sugar cured	13
Shoulders	10
Breakfast Bacon	12
Country Bacon	8
Lard per pound	9
Eggs per doz	12
Potatoes, per bushel	50
Dried beef	20
Canned Beef per pound	25
Country side, per lb	8
Canned tomatoes per can	12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½
Lemons per doz	20—30
Dried sweet corn per pound	10
Apple butter, per gal	50
Turnips, per bushel	25
Roller flour, per sack	1 25

Miscellaneous.

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FIGS, DATES AND PRUNELLES.
FINEST CLUSTER RAISINS.
PRESERVED CITRON.
LEMON PEEL.
CURRANTS and BAKING RAISINS.
EVAPORATED PEACHES & PEARS
ALMONDS and ASSORTED NUTS.
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MOLASSES CANDY (or TAFFY) MADE BY OURSELVES. ALWAYS FRESH.
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PURE HONEY in pint and quart jars.
NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, roller process.
CRANBERRIES, Sound and Firm.
PLAIN & FANCY CRACKERS.
FINEST FULL CREAM CHEESE.
PURE SUGAR TABLE SYRUPS.
A FULL LINE OF NEW CANNED GOODS.
PURE WHITE ROCK CANDY in half gallon and one gallon cans.
PURE MAPLE SYRUP in quart and half gallon cans.
FINE, FRAGRANT TEAS.
PURE SPICES. You can depend on our ground pepper for butchering purposes. It is strictly pure.
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AGGREGATE STATEMENT OF THE TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT AS RETURNED BY THE SEVERAL ASSESSORS OF CENTRE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1886.

BOROUGHS AND TOWNSHIPS	No. of Taxables	No. of Acres Seated Lands.	Aggregate Value.	Acreage Value.	No. of Acres Unseated Land.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value per Acre.	Total No. of Acres.	Total Value of Land.	No. Houses and Lots.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value.	No. Horses and Mules.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value.	No. of Cattle.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value.	Aggregate Value Occupations.	No. of Pleasure Carriages.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value.	No. Livery Carriages.	Aggregate Value.	Average Value.	No. of Watches.	Aggregate Value of Furniture	Judgments, Mortgages, &c.
Bellefonte Boro	1035		$	$		$	$		$	792	$876 176	$1 061	155	$11 074	$71	138	$2 925	21	$82 590	57	$35 30	$62	39	$2 270	$ 58	100	$ 19 405	$ 636 903
Centre Hall "	131	138	5 735	42				138	5 725	107	84 324	788	47	3 695	78	29	457	16	8 835	31	11 60	35	1	50	50	22	500	60 668
Howard "	180	176	18 125	103				176	18 125	142	73 825	520	35	2 3 0	66	55	6?4	12	10 900	15	4 50	30	11	305	28	3	2?0	52 ?48
Milesburg "	246	22	1 100	50				22	1 100	?88	91 725	589	23	1 0?8	45	39?	775	20	10 560	11	4 05	37	5	18	37	11	500	20 822
Millheim "	250	189	37 208	38				189	37 208	177	100 7 6	569	78	4 865	62	62	1 0?5	17	13 515	33	10 49	32	10	215	21	7	800	62 999
Philipsburg "	836									410	465 115	1 134	138	9 7?0	70	101	1 671	17	61 105	16	10 95	68	10	480	48	88	4 735	105 ?22
Unionville "	144	79	11 450	145				79	11 450	83	5 990	626	20	1 160	58	32	512	16	6 838	12	3 00	25	1	40	40	11	650	12 ?59
Benner Twp.	334	14682	392 082	27	2232	5 598	3	16914	397 680	69	33 285	482	296	14 305	48	315	4 ?98	18	5 630	64	13 97	22				4		41 524
Boggs "	625	15239	217 232	14	12746	29 2?1	2	27985	246 513	160	47 400	296	334	13 9?7	42	344	4 409	13	21 085	13	4 20	32				6	50	40 988
Burnside "	147	10184	46 147	5	48633	100 947	2	68?17	147 ?94	20	1 95?	98	75	3 990	53	92	1 118	12	3 895	16	5 10	32				12	500	38 098
College "	387	12376	391 994	32	397	?20	2	12?73	392 ?14	146	87 362	598	286	10 893	38	248	3 171	13	14 190	39	11 90	31				9	2 075	30 709
Curtin "	167	6341	44 324	7	19541	66 85?	3	25?2	111 175	?6	3 857	148	10	5 20?	52	1 9	2 550	17	3 750	13	4 02	31						9 848
Ferguson "	544	22899	616 393	27	8165	26 713	3	30974	643 106	141	46 344	329	330	19 962	6?	430	5 736	13	14 ?60	77	24 33	32				13	1?0	101 1?9
Gregg "	614	21801	601 2 9	28	4 27	7 062	2	26 88	08 291	180	71 289	396	477	25 501	53	562	8 069	14	20 670	149	47 22	32				7	4?0	91 336
Haines "	481	18266	426 ?61	23	13519	12 77?	1	31785	439 ?35	281	96 6?0	344	286	24 697	64	437	5 485	13	2? 855	140	43 43	31				18	800	219 ?61
Howard "	179	8979	146 376	16	2934	4 367	1	11912	150 743	65	20 567	316	143	6 397	44	191	2 644	14	7 6 6	24	7 00	29				7	9?5	23 1?8
Half Moon "	221	9124	232 44?	25	3156	25 730	8	1 ?80	258 170	53	18 214	344	156	9 396	60	219	3 ?15	16	5 985	?6	17 95	39				3		24 781
Harris "	309	9978	292 317	29	12682	6 841	½	22628	299 158	1?3	55 220	415	257	17 305	73	232	4 089	18	9 ?50	106	33 42	33	1	75	75	13	5?0	90 613
Huston "	257	11856	85 436	7	2329	3 849	2	14185	89 ?85	?6	11 185	?80	1?0	?? 205	40	198	1 999	10	5 735	9	2 65	29				13	200	21 6 9
Liberty "	398	9344	155 987	17	6454	6 852	1	15862	162 839	171	45 274	265	146	? 779	53	237	3 35?	14	11 ?80	30	9 54	32				13		49 311
Marion "	215	9?65	28? 375	31	2 6??	21 030	9	11? 5	301 ?05	?0	23 ?08	503	218	11 435	?2	?34	3 617	15	5 035	63	15 94	25				?6		?5 305
Miles "	518	21366	408 310	19	11324	11 324	1	32?90	419 ?34	3?3	94 157	292	378	19 ?02	?2	471	6 ?80	14	18 ?25	16?	5 81	34				10		164 ?68
Patton "	2?8	11?33	318 ?19	29	2987	26 885	9	14 ?20	345 37?	32	5 ?79	177	18?	13 ?70	76	?01	2 982	15	6 ?80	51	19 29	38				5		39 ?73
Penn "	324	1?6 3	268 ?08	24	6185	10 6 6	2	16?88	279 ?74	112	32 ??2	203	33?	13 245	56	242	3 8?5	16	7 ?10	?0	23 61	35				1		28 ?22
Potter "	683	273 4	710 2 3	26	16?74	9 8 1	1	38?98	?2? ?94	88	25 ?66	293	5??	35 513	67	5?3	8 ?95	14	15 ?70	153	42 ?3	28				2?		77 005
Rush "	737	2871	56 230	19	72?93	331 045	5	75?? 4	3?7 875	364	144 ?38	398	144	? 415	58	155	3 ?69	29	27 ?70	17	8 50	50				15	400	40 386
Snow Shoe "	521	7601	68 999	9	69?10	81 174	1	71?11	150 ?73	5?7	10? 865	188	146	8 641	59	195	2 910	15	22 ?25	26	7 3?	28	8	120	15	28	2 500	17 246
Spring "	675	12138	533 673	44	2478	4 7 6	2	14616	538 ?29	302	113 ?70	377	259	14 95?	58	289	4 ?86	14	22 ?95	64	18 10	28	2	225	112	6	300	63 179
Taylor "	155	?717	57 8?4	7	25375	49 711	2	32 ?2	107 515	17	1 933	144	85	3 511	41	135	1 933	14	2 631	15	4 70	31				2	?97	10 ?95
Union "	273	16312	119 565	7	12313	28 913	2	28 2?	148 478	21	6 8?0	326	174	11 185	64	247	3 8?0	16	5 ?6?	18	5 50	31				2		11 058
Walker "	408	13?96	440 254	33	14443	32 426	2	27809	472 ?80	134	46 980	351	292	16 850	57	359	5 29?	15	10 125	56	18 20	32				2		30 1?4
Worth "	248	8740	61 098	7	461?	7 421	2	13352	68 5?9	92	21 616	235	118	4 311	37	197	2 7?9	14	4 615	20	6 62	33				11		12 746
Total.	12590	320777	$7 045 305	$22	364172	$913 377	$2½	681919	$7 958 671	5130	$2 901 285	534	6?35	$359 ?12	$57	7388	$107 509	15	$187 245	16 19	$52 032	$32	88	$3 965	$ 45	470	$ 35 877	$ 2 27? 758

In accordance with the Act of Assembly regulating Triennial Assessments, and constituting a Board of Revision, the Commissioners of Centre county herewith publish the above statement, showing the aggregate value and assessments made by each Assessor in the county for 1886, upon property taxable by law; and herewith give notice that the 24th, 25th and 26th days of May, 1886, at the Commissioners' Office, in Bellefonte, are fixed upon for determining whether any of the said valuation of Assessors hav. been made above or below a just rate; and all parties will take notice that they may be heard between this time and those days in regard to the value of any property.

ATTEST:
G. W. RUMBERGER, Clerk.
Commissioners' Office, Bellefonte, Pa., May 10, 1886.

JOHN WOLF,
J. C. HENDERSON,
A. J. GRIEST,
} County Commissioners.

The Charter of a Grand Army Post Transferred.

Post 298, which was organized at Rebersburg and mustered by W. P. Shoop (at that time commander of Post 282, Centre Hall) on the 27th of December, 1882, was transferred on Monday evening, the 17th, from Rebersburg to Millheim. The transfer was conducted by Past Department Commander Austin Curtin, assisted by a number of comrades of 282, two from 95, the commander of 384, Snyder county, and one from 247, Mifflinburg. Eight of the members of 298 came with the charter and twenty-two new members were mustered, making thirty in all.

The muster was well performed, the meeting a very pleasant one and great interest was taken in the work. The Post starts with as good material and as fair prospects as any one in the State. A very pleasant room is being fitted up for its occupancy in the new brick block belonging to Musser & Co. The following were elected as officers for the year and were duly installed by the mustering officer, George M. Boal acting as Officer of the Day:

Commander—O. W. Vanvalin.
Senior Vice Commander—John A. Miller.
Junior Vice Commander—Jacob W. Snook.
Surgeon—S. G. Gutelius.
Chaplain—W. J. Springer.
Officer of the Day—S. R. Gettig.
Quartermaster—M. M. Musser.
Officer of the Guard—Geo. M. Rupp.
Adjutant—W. A. Tobias.
Sergeant Major—S. D. Musser.
Ord. Serg't—Chas. Bierley.

The Quartermaster Sergeant is not yet appointed. For the present the meeting nights will be the first and third Mondays of each month. Arrangements were made for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 29, '86.

—In two months Bellefonte will be entered by three railroads, and really from four directions, the Buffalo Run being the next on the list. This will add to the life of the town. But other events, soon to occur, will contribute ever more to Bellefonte's prosperity. It is a settled fact that Mr. Philip Collins will erect an iron furnace on the fair ground. A sale of extensive iron ore interests and iron furnaces in this immediate vicinity, which has not been completed, and of which we are requested not to publish the particulars at present, will be another event of great importance, the purchasers being possessed of sufficient capital to conduct the business on an extensive scale. As soon as the sale is completed we will give full particulars.

—That old nuisance, Prophet A. J. Devoe, maps out the following horrible weather for this section. We are glad he does, however, as there are 5 chances in 6 that he is wrong. He says: "From the 16th to the 23d we shall have genuine summer weather, and your readers should make the most of it, for we shall not have much summer weather this year till September. After the 26th it will grow decidedly cool. The prevailing wind will blow from east northeast with cloudy weather about four days out of five, and June will enter cold and cloudy, followed by thunder showers on the 5th, and a very cold northwest storm on the 8th."

—A week ago this paper announced the expected arrival of Prof. Alfred Bierly, of New York, to begin a series of musical instruction in Bellefonte. He will begin his class next Monday afternoon. He expects to organize a class in the rudiments of music, to meet each alternate afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. A class, including seventy-five or one hundred of the best vocalists of the town, will meet each alternate evening. This class will not be charged any tuition. They will prepare an oratorio, to be rendered after the close of the course of instruction.

Comments of a Subscriber in Ohio.

WARREN, O., May 17, 1886.

Dear Editor: Your valuable paper (and to me doubly so, coming from my native place) comes regularly every week and is eagerly read. Very often we see things in it that remind us of incidents in our youthful days when we used to go a fishing along the banks of the Bald Eagle or the more beautiful Spring creek.

Your neighbar, F. P. Green, Esq., has been catching some of the speckled beauties. Oh, how I would like to be with him on some of his piscatorial excursions! I think I should renew my youth, or at least feel some younger than I am. The father of the writer was very fond of fishing and hunting, and on one of his excursions up Spring creek he took the writer (then a lad of 10 or 12) along to carry the shot gun, so that in the event of seeing either a pheasant or squirrel he might change the rod for the gun. The writer anticipating some fun in the evening procured some powder from the old gent's powder horn and sauntered into McConnel's shoe shop; and while all hands were busy at their work pulled out a few coals on the stove hearth and commenced pouring the powder on them, which, of course, created an explosion and burnt the writer's face terribly. For fear of a severe whipping he hurried off home and to bed as quietly as he could, and after suffering all night came down stairs in the morning with his face swollen to twice its usual size. All was attributed to getting poisoned the day before while carrying the gun. But enough of this for the present.

Yours, &c.,
B. J. G.

Committees Appointed.

John C. Miller, Adjutant, gives us for publication the following as the committees on Memorial Day ceremonies:

Committee on Flowers—R. C. Irwin, J. C. Miller, Amos Mullen, John Anderson, Chas. Eckenroth.

On Music—R. A. Laird, S. H. Williams, Theodore Deschner.

On Marking Graves—H. H. Benner, Samuel Gault, S. H. Shaffer, T. R. Benner, Jas. Ginier, J. I. Curtin, Wm. Jones, W. Taylor, James Fulton.

—Just as the services in the Episcopal church were beginning Tuesday evening something connected with the organ broke and after that the fine instrument which usually renders so important a part of the church service was mute and the large and efficient choir sat there perfectly silent. Under ordinary circumstances this would have greatly detracted from the interest of the service, but the Bishop infused so much energy and life into the confirmation services proper and his address was so remarkably interesting that the absence of music was scarcely noticed. We are of opinion the choir should have done its part, anyway, and shown that they are not so dependent on the organ as to be unable to sing without it. What is the culture of vocal music worth, anyway, if the organ must be depended on to support the voices and keep them in correct time?

MR. GLADSTONE is probably wiser than his advisers in refusing to hold a Liberal caucus before the second reading of the Home Rule Bill. His strength is greatest in House debate, and a caucus which should be insufficiently attended would have a very demoralizing effect.

JEFFERSON DAVIS is down with nervous prostration caused by the exciting scenes he has gone through. A sympathetic country demands that he shall give himself perfect rest, especially his tongue.

Wyoming lakes are so charged with soda that it accumulates in great quantities around the edges, whence it is hauled away and worked into commercial forms.

—Travel over the Lemont railroad continues very large, the freight traffic also being good.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

"Lovers four and maidens five: A story of the Allegheny mountains," by Julius Chambers. Price 25 cents. Philadelphia: Porter & Coates.

This love story of Cresson Springs reawakens all the old fascination that a visitor to that beautiful mountain resort has experienced. The weird and romantic localities are described in a gay and vivid manner; many of the lost tales of the Alleghenies have been rescued from oblivion and upon the pretty thread of a love tale a valuable collection of historical and topographical information has been grouped. A really novel idea is the foundation of the story. Four young men go to Cresson to spend the summer and they find four charming girls. At first there is harmony; but a fifth girl, entirely outside the group, resents a slight that has been put upon her and succeeds in disorganizing the party to such an extent that only one couple marry as they originally hoped. Some admirable pictures of clever young women are drawn, and several keen hits are made regarding the society young woman, who manages her parents. It is in every way a clever and readable volume. One can enjoy it at a sitting. The fifteen original pictures by J. G. Sword, N. A., and F. C. Schell give it additional value. Many crisp epigrams are scattered through the pages that would well repay quoting, but it would be unfair to our readers to deprive them of the pleasure they will derive in picking out the bright sayings for themselves. To them we say: "Fail to, you have an enjoyable feast before you."

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans' Court of Centre county. In the matter of the estate of Daniel S. Auman, deceased. The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by said court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrators to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of Beaver & Gephart, in Bellefonte, Pa., on the 2d day of June, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., where all interested may attend. 18 19 3t JOHN M. DALE, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Centre County to hear and pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of D. Z. Kline, Trustee to sell the Real Estate of Samuel Lipton, deceased, and to make distribution of the balance in his hands, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Bellefonte, on Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 1886, when and where all persons interested can attend, and those having claims against said estate must present the same or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
18 19 3t E. M. BLANCHARD, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Samuel Homan, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Samuel Homan, late of Benner township, deceased, have this day been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same, duly authenticated, to
REUBEN ECKLEY, Administrator.
Benner township, May 1, 1886.
P. O address, Fillmore, Centre county, Pa.
18 18 6t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans Court of Centre County, estate of Benjamin Bitner deceased. The undersigned an auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrators of said decedent, to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the borough of Bellefonte on Friday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m. Parties interested will please attend.
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C. P. HEWES,
17 16 6t Administrator.

Miscellaneous.

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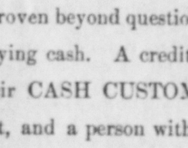

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By EDWARD T. TUTEN.

The Great Storm in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, May 13.—The storm last night which did such fearful work at Xenia, Ohio, was far reaching. It is heard of in Illinois, through Indiana and Ohio and at Winchester, Va. Here there has been unusual electrical disturbance for the past three nights. On Monday night there was an almost uninterrupted lightning from 11 until 6 a. m. Tuesday night a similar condition of affairs existed, accompanied by heavy rain and hail, the latter of very narrow range. Last night there was another electrical storm with wind, heavy rain and hail. The Xenia storm, however, was much more furious.

The counties of Montgomery, Clark, Butler, Warren and Greene lie adjacent in Ohio and form an elevated plateau, with but shallow valleys and low hills. In these counties the towns of Dayton, Springfield, Hamilton, Lebanon and Xenia. In the eastern county of Indiana, adjoining this district, is Connersville. At all these places the rain of last night was the heaviest volume ever known. At Dayton it measured 4½ inches in about three hours.

Xenia was situated so as to meet the worst results. Shawnee run traverses the portion of the city adjacent to the Little Miami railroad, which lies lower than the main portion of the city. The railroad embankment rises above the general level and the stream flows through it in a large culvert. Last night's rainfall was entirely too much for the capacity of that culvert, and the water rose and at last swept away the embankment, and, with accumulated force, rushed upon the small cottages on the low bank and, without warning, bore them from their foundations.

From fifty to one hundred buildings were swept from their foundations and the inmates suddenly found themselves helpless in an angry flood. How many lives were lost is not yet known, but at 11 30 the rescuing party had secured twenty-four bodies. It was estimated that a number more would be found.

HAMILTON, O., May 13.—The wind and thunder storm which passed over Butler county Wednesday night has cut off Hamilton from all telegraph, telephone, railroad and mail communication with the outside world except with Cincinnati. Reports from the surrounding country come in slowly and are very meagre. Four barns were struck by lightning and the buildings and contents lost. Seven bridges on the Cincinnati, Richmond and Chicago and two on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton are down, and no trains are running on any of these roads. The loss on grain, trees, houses, etc., in Butler county is very heavy. The roof of Schewab's big brewery was carried off. So far no loss of life is reported.

After the Storm.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 12.—Late dispatches from points along the Conemaugh Valley report several persons seriously injured by the tornado which passed over that section on Monday evening. Mrs. James Brett was in bed at the time. She was carried out over a fence into a field, and was picked up more dead than alive. She is not expected to live. Gertie Foust, a friend of Mrs. Brett, was carried some distance and had her face terribly lacerated, besides sustaining painful body bruises. Mrs. Taylor was thrown down and her ankle sprained.

Mrs. McCrum and her aged mother were lifted off their feet and slightly injured. John Foust's house was blown down, the bed clothing carried a mile and a half and lodged in a tree top. Telegraph poles along the railroad were blown down, cows killed and trees blown fully two hundred feet in the air, while fences and small buildings were nothing but straws in the way. At McConnellsville the Methodist church was struck by lightning, the spire shattered and considerable damage done to the auditorium and lecture room. Two men engaged in burning lime were prostrated by a bolt of lightning and two horses were killed.

A Train Chased by a Cyclone.

CHICAGO, May 12. The passengers on a Chicago and Alton train which arrived here to-night had a remarkable experience with a cyclone at Pontiac, Ill. A storm cloud was seen gathering in the west and moving in a northeast direction. As the train sped on the storm kept moving nearer every minute and the passengers began to realize that they were being chased by a cyclone. Just as the engine pulled into Odell, Ill., the storm struck the town, and the air was full of debris.

In a moment seven stores and a hotel were unroofed and one large brick building was nearly destroyed, under the wreck of which structure two children were buried. Specials from Streator and Rockford, Ill., and Peru, Ind., tell of a terrible wind and hail storm at those points. At Peru houses were unroofed, trees uprooted and wheat blown down. A large amount of stock is reported killed by lightning.

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NEW YORK, May 12.—Anarchist John Most, who was arrested last night by Inspector Byrnes, was taken before Recorder Smyth, in the court of general session, at 11 o'clock this morning. He assumed a very defiant demeanor when called to plead on the indictment for holding an unlawful assembly and for inciting a riot. He was represented by eminent counsel and pleaded "Not guilty." At the lawyer's request, the case was postponed until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. The recorder held Most in $1,000 bail and, shackled to an ordinary convict, he was led to the Tombs jail. The penalty for the offense is one year's imprisonment and a fine of $250.

Logan Reports a Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Senator Logan, who was authorized by the Military Committee of the Senate to report the Equalization Bounties bill, has submitted a written report with that measure. He goes into the history of the various attempts made to enact the measure into a law since it first came under consideration in congress, and in conclusion earnestly recommends it passage.

Fire at Tyrone.

Special to the Altoona Tribune.

TYRONE, Pa., May 13.—The car repair shops here, the property of Tyrone division of the Pennsylvania railroad company, together with one car loaded with coal, one cabin car and a lot of carpenter tools, the individual property of employes, stored therein, were destroyed by fire this evening. The fire, which was first noticed about 8 30 o'clock, broke out in the roof at the end of the south wing of the building, directly over the furnace used for heating water for cleaning passenger cars, and in ten minutes the building was beyond saving. The Neptune fire company and Friendship hook and ladder company were promptly on hand and rendered valuable service in saving adjoining buildings. The building destroyed was frame and burned fiercely. The total loss will reach $3 500.

The Liberals are Frightened.

LONDON, May 13.—The Daily News says if Mr Chamberlain is not satisfied with Mr Gladstone's concessions in connection with the home rule bill he should suggest others on the principle of give and take on both sides. The News suggests that if the bill passes its second reading the remaining stages be deferred until the autumn session.

Mr. Gladstone will shortly convene a meeting of his liberal supporters in the house of commons, possibly on Saturday, in accordance with a wish generally expressed at an informal meeting on Tuesday. The latter meeting deprecated hurrying the second reading of the home rule bill while dissension on the details prevents a general agreement on this principle of the bill.

A motion to approach Mr. Chamberlain with the object of inducing him to withdraw his opposition, was presented, but was withdrawn. Several of Mr Gladstone's supporters are urging him to withdraw the home rule bill in order to avert the disruption of the liberal party.

Methodist Bishops Meet.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 20.—The bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church began their semi-annual meeting here this morning to arrange a plan of episcopal visitation and dispose of other official business. The session is strictly private. The bishops in attendance are Bowman, of St. Louis; Harris, of New York; Foster, of Boston; Merrill, of Chicago; Andrews, of Washington; Warren, of Denver; Hurst, of Buffalo; Ninde, of Topeka; Walden, of Chattanooga, and Mallalieu, of New Orleans. A public reception, under the auspices of the Methodist Union of Buffalo, was given this evening. They will preach in the Methodist churches of this city next Sunday.

Jefferson Davis Ill.

NEW ORLEANS, May 13.—Mr. Jefferson Davis has been confined to his room since his return to Beauvoir suffering from prostration induced by the late exciting scenes through which he has passed. He is under the care of several physicians, and it is expected that with undisturbed rest and repose he will be able to fill his appointment at Mobile.

Briefs.

COLUMBUS, O., May 12.—Judge Wilson, late senator from Hamilton county, was in the city this morning and held a consultation with Van Cleaf, democrat, who remained in Columbus, relative to future plans. A definite programme will be formulated at the caucus of absent senators being held in Covington, Ky., this afternoon. The democrats have abandoned the idea of starting a senate of their own. It has been decided, however, that they will make a fight in the courts against the action of the Republicans in the senate by testing the validity of their acts in passing bills, such as the loan bill.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 12.—The Milwaukee and St. Paul road this morning succeeded in purchasing over a scalper's counter, in Minneapolis, two Minneapolis, St. Louis and Chicago tickets for $16.25, and hold affidavits to that effect. The result of this discovery to-day is that tickets bought over the regular counters of competing roads can be had for $8.00.

PITTSBURG, May 12.—A Mt. Pleasant, Pa., special says: The strikers at the Standard coke works returned to work this morning, a compromise having been effected. The employes of the Morewood works are still out. Fifty Italians arrived from New York last night to work on a new reservoir. The strikers at the new shaft, under the impression that they were to take their places in the mines, stoned the leaders out of town.

BUFFALO, May 12.—At 2 o'clock this morning broke out in the produce store of Wallace, Johnston & Co., No. 70 Main street. The building and stock were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $20 000; covered by insurance. The stores of Sidney Shepard & Co., and W. H. Newman and the United States bonded warehouse adjoining were slightly damaged by fire and water. The fire is supposed to have originated from a boiler.

PITTSBURG, May 12.—The carpenters of the Allegheny county renewed their strike for nine hours to day, and twelve hundred men are now idle. Both sides are firm. The builders and contractors claim that the strike is epidemic, that it has prostrated business and that at least five hundred thousand dollars worth of work has been postponed until next year.

Appointments at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Edward Herrick, of Lock Haven, has been appointed bookkeeper in the office of the Commissioners of Railroads in the Department of the Interior. Among the confirmations made by the Senate are the following: J. P. Kimball, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Mint; W. Woodruff, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Surgeon in the Navy.

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Acres.	Per	Warrantee.	Taxes.
50		Coon, Andrew	$ 4 19
58		Homes, Robert	3 30
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BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

395	112	Cochran, John	34 50
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BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP

415		Black, James	14 94
433	163	Brady, Robert	15 57
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433	163	Brady, John	15 57
431	163	Bell, Alexander	1 58
4 5		Boyd, John	14 94
438	163	Bell, William	15 57
433	163	Cook, William	15 58
433	163	Cowden, John	7 2
433	163	Dewart, William	7 8
433	163	Dewart, John	7 82
38	163	Donnelly, Henry	7 2
433	164	Gray, Robert	7 82
433	163	Gray, William	7 82
433	163	Greeves, Alex	15 57
433	163	Grant, Thomas	7 82
433	163	Goben, Charles	7 82
433	1 3	Hall, Charles	15 72
140		Harris, Henry	15 12
433	162	Housel, John	7 82
433	165	Kidd, John	15 57
415		Levy, Nathaniel	14 94
433	163	Lyon, John	7 82
260		Miller, William	7 20
433	163	Morris, Joseph	15 57
216	83	Parker, Jeremiah, ½ of	7 50
433	163	Shaffer Henry	7 82
433	163	Scott Samuel	15 57
433	163	Towers, James	15 57
415		Thomas, Joseph	14 94
415		Wallace, Joseph S	14 94
433	163	Wallace, Joseph	1 57
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311		DeHass, Peter, ½ of	55 97
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415		Gilbert, William	120 00
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207½		Lowns, Caleb	60 00
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100		Meyer, Simon	30 00
420	48	Meyer, Michael	120 00
420		Meyer, Valentine	120 00
196		Miller, James	42 00
200		Palmer, John	6 20
415		Taylor, Joseph	37 20
415		Wain, Jacob	72 00
5		Wister, Casper	126 00
160		Willis, Jonathan	17 00
433	163	White, James	150 00

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

100		Olive, James	8 20
150		A Barton Sloat, (owner)	12 30

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

60		Carson, Andrew	1 41
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130		Duncan, David	12 22
250		Hepburn, William	5 88
280		Hubly, Bernard	8 94
53	63	Hahn, William	4 70
52		John McClintock (owner)	1 22

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

350		Antis, Henry	7 58
242	60	Barr, Thomas	5 02
250	60	Barr, James	5 20
259	60	Barr, Mary	5 36
87		Barron, John	1 78
154		Beck, Henry	3 16
344	16	Bolinder, John	7 06
334	60	Bolinder, Henry	6 92
325	60	Bolinder, Frederick	6 68
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135		Cowl H B	2 76
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110		J G Meyer	2 24
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106		Methias Workman	2 16
286		James Black	6 94
144		Peter Back	2 94
135		H B Cowley	2 78
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395	80	William Tidd	8 08
368		Philip Geb	7 54
209		Wenzell Grove	4 2
25		Calvin M Hayes	8 30
400		Joseph Henry	3 58
173		Robert McElroth	6 7
327		Samuel Mengar	3 36
162		John Mayz	2 49
120		Daniel Rhodes	9 17
442		David Scribner	8 65
388		George Seidel	6 27
393		Peter Seidel	9 05
388		Philip Seidel	8 76
423		E H Scribner	5 02
248		George Snyder	32
15		Joseph Thompson	3 5
446		Henry Spiker and C Weiser Award	9 25
196			3 5
209		Catharine Snyder	4 15
18		Canton's Thomas	37

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

400	120	Joliff, Richard	56 00
216		Lanthurn, Josiah	60 29
51		Shearer, Isaac	98
24		John T Fowler, (owner)	1 44
63	89	John T Fowler, (owner)	3 81
67	76	John T Fowler	4 00

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

195		Fisher, J C	3 81
133		Fox, George	2 72
400		Forbes, James	3 90
400		Harrison, William	3 90
50		Irwin, John	26
400		Patterson, Robert	3 90
400		Reed, James	3 9
407	92	Wharton, Kearney	4 37

HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

107	104	Brown, Samuel	4 70
217		Bonham, Sarah	1 17
154		Green, Joseph	13 53
25		Graysburg, Joseph	1 10
215		Godfrey, Martha	4 73
415		Godfrey, Martha	9 13
55		Harris, James	9 59
130		Lingl, J J	1 44
160		Willis, Jonathan	7 52
50		White & Nestlerode	3 30

Treasurer's Sale.

Acres.	Per.	Warrantee.	Taxes
		HUSTON TOWNSHIP.	
433	163	Baxter, James	9 20
2 0	11	Chancellor, Wm	4 40
120		Kuh, Adam	10 20
433	163	Price, John	9 19
433	163	Rollington, John	9 9
102		J C Wason (owner)	4 29
		LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.	
50		Carskaddon, D	42
80		Gorsuch, Wm	1 8
166		Hayes, Robert and James	18 91
75		Hess, George D	7 16
309	3	Irwin, Robert	23 48
250		Jackson, John	4 25
10		Jackson, Jeremiah	11 78
2 0		Krouse, Daniel	3 50
30		King, Thomas	34
180		Lytle, Peter	3 80
150		Lytle, Peter	3 80
400		Leech, Mathew	1 70
400		Leech, Mathew	1 70
½ of 200		Nestlerode, Christ	1 70
30		King, Thomas	34
400		Packer, John W	8 60
175		Quigly, James A	6 70
349		Smith, Christian	13 76
10		Smith Robert	68
100		Potter, John	4 00
1 8		Shaw & Hogle	3 16
		MARION TOWNSHIP.	
42	66	Corman, John	1 43
31		Decker Adam	7 38
17		Lewis, Thomas	2 19
20		Lucas Thomas	6
50		William Tilghman (owner)	10 20
19		Isaac Frain (owner)	4 5
28		John Ziegler (owner)	7 1
60		Yarger, Simon	2 06
60		Yarger, Simon	3 6
½ of 199		Zantzinger, Paul	4 2
		MILES TOWNSHIP.	
125		Moore Wharton	2 29
430		Brady, Robert	7 61
410		Brady, Hannah	7 30
255		Brady, Jan	4 53
2 0		Brady, John	3 55
440		Brady, Wm P	7 8
90		Brady Wm P	5 15
20		Antis Henry	36
424		Calhorn, George	7 72
4 3		Cerothers James	7 18
150		Cooper, Wm	2 17
125		Dorsey, John	2 22
320		Fearon, Joseph	5 68
4 9		Gray, Robert	7 6
476		Grant Thomas	8 44
130	123	Gratz, Simon	1 30
400		Gunter, Alex	7 96
50		Jackson Jeremiah	4 44
3 0		Levy, Aaron	5 32
25		Norton Samuel	7 55
300		Parker, Wm	5 2
324		Parker, Richard	5 76
3 4		Parker, Jeremiah	5 7
125		Steadman, Wm	3 55
200		Smith Thomas	3 55
09		Scott, Abraham	1 77
50		Scott Samuel	89
159		Scott Abraham	2 67
90		Scott, Samuel	1 60
130		Taggart, Robert	2 31
425		Toland, Henry	7 55
100		C Long (owner)	1 77
125		Wharton Moore	2 3
425		William David	7 55
159		Wolf, John	1 60
4 0		William Harman	8 88
491	46	James Cummings	7 8
371		Wm Boyde	6 85
3 7		Wm Grant	6 6
300		Thos Boyd	5 55
413		Joseph Tripp	7 46
200		Thomas Smith	3 70
405		Wm Housel	7 47
426		Samuel Tripp	7 87
419		Hugh Boyde	7 77
404		Peter Tripp	7 46
410		Thomas Miles	7 53
20		Jacob Princeton	3 70
415		Stophel Seidel	7 69
400		John Seigreid	7 40
400		Daniel Seigfreid	7 4
286		Jacob Seigfreid	5 27
150		John Hays	7 8
280		Martin Wister	5 18
70		Wm Cook	3 14
240		Robert Taggart	4 44
25		James Steadman	46
17		Robert Latimore	3 1
365		Daniel Williams	5 76
60		Thomas Brothers	3 7
200		John Brady	3 77
50		Wm Brady	4 63
260		John Housel	4 63
7-16 of 4 2	134	William Miles	3 11
250		William Cooper	4 63
		PENN TOWNSHIP.	
150		Armstrong, James	8 25
383		Cook William	9 89
150	10	Cowden, John	7 25
1 2	10	Cowden John	8 5
100		Cook, Wm	1 50
160		Cook, Wm	8
150		Hamilton, Thos	5 2
150		Hepburn, James	5 25
113	31	Hepburn, James	3 60
159		Kennedy, John	5 2
159		Kennedy, James	5 25
104	89	Kennedy, Andrew	3 1
104	131	Kennedy, John	3 24
113	8	Kennedy, James	3 31
2 0		Lyon, Robert	7 0
00		Lyon Ezekial	7 00
200		Lyon, Benjamin	7 0
200		Lyon, Robert	7 00
202		Lyon, Ezekial	7 0
200		Lyon, Benjamin	7 00
200		McCally John	7 00
200		McCally, Wm	7 00
100		Montgomery, Daniel	3 50
100		Montgomery Wm	3 0
200		McCally, John	7 20
400		Sweetford, John	10 50
		POTTER TOWNSHIP.	
100		Barnes, Adam	4 40
288		Bound, Mary	6 30
300		Brow, John	13 20
81	111	Cameron Alex	2 20
400		Cougal, David	2 19
100		Jewart, John	2 20
200		Ewin, Jasper	4 40
20		Fullmer, H B	88
400		Forks, James	4 70
400		Garigus, Edward	8 80
400		Garigus Wm	8 80
100		Gerry, Christ	2 20
200		Gobin, Charles	4 40
1 0		Martin Thomas	3 80
105		McClellan, George	2 31
80		Wm Cotter, (owner)	12 75
34	83	Ropp, Jacob	2 83
150		Sawyer Wm	2 20
100		Vandersloe, H	1 10
100		Young, Saml	52
		SPRING TOWNSHIP.	
418		Johnson, John	4 83
18	115	Purdue, John	5 02
300		Robison, Catherine	8 10
300		Robison, Rebecca	8 10
1 0		Robison, Richard	4 0
100		J Gordon, tat. (owner)	2 70
		SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.	
433	153	Bingham, Wm	88 74
433	153	Burnot, Felix	88 74
32		Banks, Wm	12 33
325		Banks, Wm	12 35
60		Climer, George	7 38
433	153	Campbell, George	88 74
4 3	1 3	Cox, Pau	88 74
433	153	Cuthburt, Thos	88 74
412		Carskadden, D	1 43
434	153	Delaney, Sharpe	88 74
300		Dowling, Joseph	24 60
300		Dowling, Joseph	61 0
218		Dobson, Samuel	35 76
300		Dowling, Joseph	8 0
4 3		Eddy, George	83 25
200		Fitzsimmons, Thos	16 40
7 38		Gray, Robert	7 38
433	153	Hawthorn, Thos	88 74
433	153	Hawthorne, James	88 74
3 3		Hale, James T	71 02
4 3		Hale James T	6 15
434		Linn, Samuel	71 02
433	153	Lewis, Wm	88 74
434	153	Lewis, Wm	88 74
300		Long, J Z	5 70
200		Long, J Z	3 80
353		Liggett, John	13 41
70		Mason John S	16 80
433		McManmus, James	71 02
433	153	Milliken, M T	53 25
409	73	Mitchell, N J	50 25
433		Morgan, Benjamin R	71 02
400		Martha, Alex	7 10
433	153	Maylan, Jasper	71 02
233	153	Mayston, Edward	71 02
433	150	McClanahan, Blair	71 02
433	153	Meade, George	62 09
433	153	McPherson, Wm	62 09
433	120	Manger Luke	71 02
433	153	Morris, Robert	80 04
00		Martin, Alex	15 20
3/5 of 433	153	Norris, J P	47 32
¼ of 433	153	Norris, J P	8 84
433	153	Parker, Wm	71 02
216		Parker, Jeremiah	38 58
216		Parker, Jeremiah	5 58
403		Parker, George	16 45
216		Raley, Robert	8 21
300		Riley, Job	49 20
433	153	Shipper, Thos L	71 02
4 3	153	Scott, Edward	71 02
433	153	Spear, Margaret	16 45

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Acres.	Per	Warrantee	Taxes.
102		Tompkins, Joseph	9 93
435	153	Thomas, Benj H	71 02
433	153	Valentine, A S	1 02
433	153	Wain, Rebecca	71 02
434	153	Wharton, Moore	71 02
4 3	153	Wharton, Elizabeth	71 02
5 9 of 4 3	153	Wharton, Mary M	39 50
1 9 of 4 3	153	Wharton, Mary M	7 38
433	154	Wen, Frances	71 02
4 3	154	West, Benjamin	71 02
169		West, Francis	13 94
415		Wain, Richard	4 11
4 3	153	Wharton, Kearney	16 45
400		Williams, David	11 85
00		Williams, David	12 65

RUSH TOWNSHIP.

434	153	Allison, John	183 91
328		Allison James	139 04
250		Allison, Andrew and John Lilly	159 00
327	10	Armstrong, Andrew	11 2
164	10	Allison, James	16 54
390	116	Arthur, Ann	10 42
394	117	Arthur, Thomas	9 7
433	153	Britches, Isaac	45 03
433	163	Beverage, David	11 52
433	153	Brickley, Daniel	47 70
433	1 3	Bruntzman, Peter	13 80
200		Burg, John	15 90
4 3	163	Boreta, John	19 08
40		Chestnut, Samuel	6 6
100		Clymer George	5 00
100		Campbell, George	53 0
300		Cuthburt, Thomas	159 00
80		Corcendon, J H, (owner)	12 72
393		Chestnut, Samuel	10 21
433	163	Deaney, Sharp	11 2
253		Dentler, W	93 5
122		Eberman Philip	6 47
434	153	Edwards, Thos	116 80
200		Erskin, Thomas	7 80
433	153	Funk, John	2 94
2 0		Fitzsimmons, Thomas	3 25
193		Edward French, (owner,)	20 12
434		Grant, Thomas	3 8
216	156	Grant, Thomas	16 78
216	15	Grant, Thomas	68 90
433	163	Glenworth, James	11 51
80		Gray, Elizabeth	7 95
160		Gray, Robert	13 00
121	152	Green & M Keon	3 8
433	153	Hair Christian	34 4
4.6	164	Hair, Christian	33 92
434	153	Hair, David	34 4
2 6	176

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

—Rose bushes will soon be beautiful with blossoms.

—The fruit crop in Northern Pennsylvania will be immensely large.

—The State Medical Society will meet in Williamsport, Pa., on June 2.

—Ex-Commissioner Henry C. Campbell was in Bellefonte Friday morning.

—Members of the National Guard are preparing for their annual encampment.

—There is much rivalry among Bellefonte's bakers and ice cream manufacturers.

—Nothing has yet been heard of the prisoners who escaped from the Clearfield jail.

—Mr. R. A. Beck is having the interior of his barber shop improved and decorated handsomely.

—Electrical disturbances and local storms are what the weather bureau gives us at present.

—Several years will elapse before Bellefonte grows sufficiently to take in Milesburg as a suburb.

—The frame residence on Allegheny street occupied by W. W. Moyer, has been very handsomely repainted.

—The salary of Presiding Elder Foster of the Juniata M. E. district has been increased from $2,000 to $2,100 per year.

—There will be an argument court in this place early next month, but the next regular term will not begin until August.

—Governor Pattison has appointed Hon. Henry L. Dieffenbach, of Lock Haven, one of the associate judges of Clinton county.

—Sarah Bernhardt informs us that the arrangements for the comedy entertainment to be given on the 24th inst., are proceeding satisfactorily.

—The creamery company to build a creamery at Spring Mills has organized, the stock is all taken and the location for the creamery selected.

—Two residents near Valentines iron works are quite ill—Mr. John Reese and Mrs. Hockenbery. We hope their sickness may be only temporary.

—Ceaders have greatly improved and beautified their ice cream parlor, recently, and it is now about as inviting and pleasant as their ice cream is delicious.

—Mr. Henry Fredericks and daughter, of Boalsburg, were in Bellefonte Friday morning and pleased us greatly by calling to inspect the workings of a printing office.

—Two of Bellefonte's merchants are said to possess correct fac smiles of the famous peach blow vase and the aforesaid fac smiles (?) are not alike. Which is correct?

—On Thursday morning one of the largest freight trains we have ever seen arrived over the Bald Eagle R. R. Several cars of railroad iron formed part of the freight.

—The season must be a month behind time in and about Clearfield, else why do we see this item in Thursday's *Republican*, viz., "The lawn mower will soon be called into use?"

—Lock Haven, according to the *Daily Democrat*, has within her borders "the greatest curse now living," It is a fellow known as Wild Bill, who is now in the Lock Haven jail.

—Some very fine apples are offered for sale even at this time. There is a promise that the last year's crop of the favorite fruit will not be used up before this year's crop matures.

—Even the *Centre Democrat* condemns the salvation army. And now may the captains of that religious gang look with reproach into the face of George Bible and exclaim, '*Et tu, Brute!*"

—Excursion tickets will be sold on the 17th to Millheim for those who desire to attend the Grand Army gathering in that place on the evening of that day. Tickets will be good to return on the 18th.

—Many of the children and ladies of Millheim were much scared last Saturday afternoon by a report that the town was to be reduced to ashes. Of course, the men were not frightened. Well, the town has not yet been "reduced" to any considerable extent.

—Come, George Bible, resurrect from beneath the dust of ages some papers older than 1857. The paper which the REPUBLICAN quoted from a few days ago was 25 years older than the most aged to which you refer, and the gentleman who supplies us with antiquities has some that are even older than that.

—One of the statesman citizens of Bellefonte advocates the establishment of a soup house for the tramps—the people to support the soup house by purchasing and keeping a supply of 5 cent tickets, and to give one to a tramp when he comes asking for something to eat. A similar scheme was proposed by the [illegible] last winter.

[illegible] extremely sorry to record [illegible]arley, who was to exhibit her [illegible]x works in this place on the [illegible]s become extremely ill and [illegible]an has forbidden her to un[illegible] task. Her place will be filled [illegible]ey, who has recently devel[illegible]skill in displaying this artistic [illegible] Many beautiful new figures [illegible]tly been added.

The Mock Trial.

We were about to say that the mock trial came *off* on Thursday night; but it didn't—it came *on* and remained on about three hours. It was a trial in more ways than one, and it especially tried the strength of one's vest buttons by the laughter it caused.

The entrance of Hon. Francis Speer—known as District Attorney Heinle was the signal for applause, and he carried on the prosecution of the case in such a *Speer*ited manner, as to keep up the *Speer*its and interest of spectators.

Judge Jackson L. Spangler rapped for court to begin and Associate Judge Wilbur F. Reeder whispered some new law points in the President Judge's left ear.

The complainant, Howard Harvey, is an innocent-looking youth, while the prisoner, Mr. Clark, presented a most hardened, indifferent appearance. Messrs Speer and Taylor, two attorneys who are supposed to be able to prove that black is white and vice versa, appeared for the commonwealth. Messrs Shaffer & Keller undertook the task of proving that the hardened criminal at their side was as innocent as a lamb.

The case was one of assault and battery with intent to kill, Clark being charged with placing Harvey *hors de combat*, with the aid of a revolver a knife and a billy. The alleged cause of the encounter was the damage done to Clark in a horse trade, not with Gypsies, but with the innocent looking Howard Harvey.

Four witnesses were examined for the Commonwealth. They were the complainant, Harvey; Policeman John Wagner, who was represented to be desperately engaged in running *away from* the fight; George Meek, a drummer; and George Valentine, who represented Mr. Kohlbecker, of Central City. Of course, they agreed in one story.

Witnesses for the defense, were Clark, the defendant; Rev. Will Brew, a sermonless preacher; Tom Mitchell, another loquacious travelling man; and Dr Walter Lembkey, who is warranted to kill every patient to whom he gives medicine. They told a different tale, showing that Policeman Wagner was the only one who made use of the deadly weapons and that the prosecution was a conspiracy.

This testimony was all given to such jurors as Messrs. Isaac Mitchell, C. E Monroe, Bond Valentine, Will McClure, Mullen, McCafferty, Yohey, Morrison, Lyon, etc., but the Judge evidently deemed them incapable of rendering an intelligent verdict, and after a speech by Lawyer Shaffer and an earnest and grand-iloquent appeal by Lawyer Speer charged the jury and told them to acquit the prisoner and saddle the costs on District Attorney Heinle Then the attorney was fined $700 and had time only to express the conviction that Judge Spangler will retire to private life within the walls of of Danville Asylum, when the court adjourned.

Death of Robert G. Brett, Prothonotary of Centre County.

Friday morning at 1.20 o'clock, Robert G. Brett, prothonotary of this county, breathed his last at his home on Linn street, this borough. He was a victim of consumption The dread disease fastened itself upon his not very strong frame a year or more ago. He struggled manfully, and, like all who have the disease, believed he would recover. He did not give up until Thursday, at which time he told his friends who called that he believed death to be near and that he was preparing for the future. His death was a surprise to these friends, as those who have visited him frequently during his illness say that he appeared no worse on Thursday than he did a month ago. But the grim messenger, robbed of its terrors, entered the sorrowing home and ended the earthly life of the kind husband and father. May the widow and children have the grace and resignation at this hour to bow meekly, to kiss the chastening rod and know that, "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth and scourgeth every child whom He receiveth."

The deceased was born in Ferguson township, this county, near Pine Grove Mills, where he lived nearly all his life, until called by his fellow-citizens to assume the duties of a responsible official position. The labor and excitement of his new position doubtless precipitated the disease. He leaves a wife and six young children — three girls and three boys. His aged mother still survives and is residing on the family homestead near Pine Grove Mills. We are pained to hear that both his wife and mother are in delicate health. A sister, Mrs. McClure Hammon, lives in Bolivar, Pa. His age was 41 years and 2 months.

Robert Brett was that noblest work of God—an honest man. Noble and generous, with impulses which evinced the truth and manliness of his character, he despised all that is dishonest. He looked upward toward that which is true and eternal. At peace with God and man, he fell asleep.

The morning friends in this vicinity assembled at his late residence last Sunday morning in time to leave at 8 o'clock for Pine Grove, where the interment took place.

—A large, handsome peony flower is among the many fine floral specimens already beautifying the grounds of Mr. J. V. Thomas' residence. It seems rather early for the peonies to blossom

Death of Robert M. Smith.

The Tyrone correspondence of the Altoona *Times*, of Thursday, contained the following in regard to the sudden death of Mr. Robert M. Smith, which was mentioned in the REPUBLICAN last week. The deceased had numerous relatives in Bellefonte.

Yesterday morning Mr. Robert Smith left his home at 7 o'clock, apparently in the best of health, to go to his daily toil, and at ten minutes to 8 o'clock, just 50 minutes afterward, he was a corpse. Mr. Smith was an engineer and machinist, and at the time of his death was working in the roundhouse at this place. He appeared at his work as usual yesterday morning, and seemed to be more than ordinarily happy, and was called on to adjust something on the passenger engine that had just come in off the road. Fireman Harry Study was by his side and after he thought he had completed his job he found that it still leaked, and turning around to Mr. Study he said: 'Harry, that leaks yet," and just as he finished the sentence, without a moment's warning he toppled over, and a few moments later died in the arms of Engineer Latham without uttering a word. "Bob," as he was familiarly called by all who knew him, was one of the first engineers on the Tyrone division, and was looked upon as a safe and steady railroad man. He was of a pleasant disposition, had hosts of friends, with few if any enemies, and was a man of charitable feelings His habits were purely domestic, and no man ever loved his family better than he. He was known all over Blair county, particularly about Hollidaysburg, and also at Philipsburg, where for some time he resided. He was about 60 years of age, although he looked much younger. He leaves a wife and two small children to mourn his untimely end. Death is attributed to apoplexy or heart disease. He was a member of the Relief Fund. He will be buried from his late residence on Main street to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment to take place at Tyrone cemetery.

Two Funerals.

The 5:20 train which arrived on Thursday afternoon brought two corpses, and two funeral processions marched up High street. The occasion brought together quite a large number of people and the spectacle was one calculated to make the most indifferent stop and meditate upon the uncertainty of human life. And yet these two, whose lifeless bodies reposed in coffins, were of quite different ages The first one was that of a young man who, just in the prime of manhood when ties which bound him to earth were strengthening, was called upon to give up his life. George T. Crosthwaite perhaps did not welcome death. Oh, no, he did not believe that death was near when a week ago he departed from this place for Williamsport with the confident expectation that he would soon be well again and able to pursue his work in that city. What rightly-constituted young man, at 30 years of age, will welcome death? Very few. For such, life is too full of promise. Yet, doubtless, when death was very near the belief that it was but a step into a better world, a welcome to the protecting arms of a Loving Friend, gave him strength and courage to say, "Thy will be done." He was buried from the M. E. church, Rev Dr. Monroe officiating.

The second corpse was that of an aged lady—Mrs. Mary Gormley—which was brought here from Renovo. She died on Tuesday, the 11th, at the age of 62. We can imagine that she had often contemplated death. She had enjoyed the communion of saints. As her feet trod the heavenly way she was ready at any time to step beyond the confines of time into her Eternal Home. The funeral procession followed the body to the home of Mr. John Curry, the brother of deceased, and on Friday the interment took place.

—West Susquehanna Classis will meet in annual session in St Peter's Reformed church, Aaronsburg, on Wednesday, the 19th inst., at 7 30 p. m., when Rev. W. H. Groh, the retiring president, will preach the opening sermon. It will continue in session over the following Sunday. Missionary services will be held on Thursday evening, on which occasion the Revs. Dotterer, DeLong and Wolf will deliver addresses. There will be Divine services on Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening and on Sunday morning and evening. At the Sunday morning service the Lord's Supper will be celebrated, and in the afternoon a children's service will be held, on which occasion the Revs. Haas, Gerhard and Brown will be the speakers. All are cordially invited to attend not only the meetings for religious services, but also the morning and afternoon sessions of classis.—*Millheim Journal.*

—A terribly fatal and destructive railroad wreck occurred a short distance east of Johnstown at a late hour on Monday night, the 10th. Twenty-five loaded coal cars had been placed on a siding and malicious persons loosened the breaks, sending the cars down the grade. They came in contact with a freight train, both trains running at the rate of fifteen miles an hour. The engine was demolished and fifteen cars wrecked. Thomas Mowry, engineer; Michael A. Myers, fireman; and John Connor, conductor, were crushed to death beneath the tank of the engine.

Shingletown.

An event which happened in Shingletown the other day is bringing that town into prominence. Where is Shingletown? you ask. It is a small village in Harris township, two miles west of Boalsburg. Mr. William Beck's machine shop is located there.

The "event" is the opening of a store—the first one in that town. Mr. Beck just returned from New York and Philadelphia, where he was purchasing goods. He brought home with him a large supply and now parties can be accommodated with goods at city prices. It is a favorite place for picnic gatherings and they will find the store a good place to make purchases of such things as they need.

Of course, the next move will be to establish a post office there and then people will have to write "Shingletown" on the mail matter sent to the inhabitants of that locality.

We truly hope that Shingletown's new merchant will prosper, that the post-office will be established with its present name retained, that the town will grow, and it may be the centre for enterprise and thrift.

A Religious Gathering.

The ministers' conference of the Centre Baptist Association was in session in Warrior's Mark, Pa., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, of this week. The exercises began at 7.45 o'clock Monday evening, a sermon being delivered by Rev. J. H. Chambers. Among the subjects discussed on Tuesday were the following: "Mission Work in the Centre Association," by D. W. Hunter; "How Can we Increase the Interest of our Conference?" by G. E. Ormes; "The Prayer Meeting as Viewed from the Pew," K. A. Lovell; "Steadfastness is Christian Work: its Nature, Necessity and Reward," M. B. Laning, of Milesburg; "Spiritual Power in the Pulpit," H. Hill. The sermon on Tuesday night was delivered by Rev. D. J. R. Strayer. The concluding session was held on Wednesday morning, when H. F. King spoke of the "Religion of the Mormons," and J. H. Chambers talked about "Sharp Spurs for Rutty Roads."

Of Interest to Ladies.

The new treatment for ladies' diseases discovered by Dr. Mary A Gregg, the distinguished English Physician and nurse, which has revolutionized the entire mode of treating these complaints in England, is now being introduced into the U. S, under a fair and novel plan.

Sufficient of this remedy for *one month's trial treatment* is sent *free* to every lady who is suffering from any disease common to the sex who sends her address and 13 2ct stamps for expenses, charges, etc.

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—The *Keystone Gazette* gravely asserts that it is told that "Even Bellefonte is not free from Socialistic cranks," and gives this assertion as if there may be some truth in it. We know as much about the people of Bellefonte as anyone and can positively assert there are no Socialists in the borough. The mere intimation that there are such persons here is a slander on the town and should not appear in a newspaper.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn, writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles Since which time he has used it in his family for all coughs and colds with the best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this wonderful Discovery.

Trial Bottles free at J. Zeller & Son's drug store.

—On Thursday afternoon a wedding occurred in the Presbyterian church, Lock Haven. The contracting parties were Dr. H. C. Lichtenthaler, formerly of Lock Haven, now of Larned, Kansas, and Miss Annie M. Reeser, of Lock Haven. The bride is well known here.

I Was troubled with chronic catarrh and gathering in the head, was very deaf at times, had discharges from my ears, and was unable to breathe through my nose. Before the second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm was exhausted I was cured, and to-day enjoy sound health.—C. J. Corbin, 923 Chestnut St., Field Manager Philadelphia Pub. House, Pa.

I am on my second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, being a sufferer from catarrh since I was a child, but with this medicine I am being cured.—Wm. L. Dayton, Brooklyn.

—Assistant Secretary of the Interior Jenks has resigned his office to accept the management of the estate of the late John Dubois. The salary will be $10.000 per year. It is possible that Senator Peale, of Lock Haven, will be appointed to the position.

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—R. E. Munson, chief burgess of Philipsburg has notified the people of that place that "the throwing of paper, tin cans, boxes, barrels, and other rubbish in the streets, or having the same in the streets, is positively forbidden by borough ordinance, and any persons guilty of the same will be punished."

There Must be an Open Road between the food we eat and the substance of which our bodies are composed. If the road is clogged or closed we sicken, faint and die. This road is made up of the organs of digestion or assimilation. Of these the stomach and liver are chief. Most people have had more or less experience of the horrors of constipation. Prevent it and all its fearful sequences by using Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy." It is the first step that costs.

—The woolen factory at Houserville, now operated by the Keller Brothers and the property of Mr. David Keller, of Boalsburg, was set on fire Tuesday night, May 11, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. If any of the incendiaries are caught they should be shot or hanged at once.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by J. Zeller & Son.

—We are promised that the costumes to be worn by the ladies who will appear in "A Lesson of Love," the comedy to be presented in Humes' Hall on the 24th, will be magnificent—the finest ever worn in Bellefonte on a similar occasion.

Many Persons have catarrh in its first stages who suppose themselves to be troubled with nothing more serious than a severe and stubborn cold in the head. Ely's Cream Balm gives instant relief from colds in the head, and a thorough treatment will cure catarrh. For sale by every druggist in the land.

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LIKE HIS FATHER,

He Was Afflicted With Stone in the Bladder.

Mr. S. W. Hicks, of Pleasant Valley, Duchess County, N. Y., the son of Mr. E. S Hicks, whose name may have appeared in this journal in connection with an article similar to this, was, like his father, afflicted with Stone in the Bladder only that his case was more serious than his father's. The father advised his son to write to Dr David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who, he said would tell him what to do. Dr. Kennedy replied, suggesting the use of KENNEDY'S FAVORIT REMEDY, which had worked so successfully in father's case. Mr. Hicks, who had been assured by the local physicians that they could do nothing more for him, tried FAVORITE REMEDY After two weeks' use of it he passed a stone ⅜ of an inch long and of the thickness of a pipe stem Since then he has had no symptoms of a return of the trouble. Here is a sick man healed. What better results could have been expected? What greater benefit could medical science confer? The end was gained, that is surely enough. Dr. Kennedy assures the public, by a reputation which he cannot afford to imperil, that the FAVORITE REMEDY does invigorate the blood, cures liver kidney and bladder complaints, as well as all those diseases and weaknesses peculiar to females.

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Local Department.

—A cold, wet May
Makes a barn full of hay.

—The borough schools end this week.

—Strawberries are declining in price.

—Churches were well attended on Sunday.

—A. J. Cook, of this place, spent Sunday in Lock Haven.

—The borough schools close too early. This time next month would be better.

—Merchants say that Saturday last was one of the dullest days of the season.

—Miss Anna McAffrey expects to conduct a select school during the Summer months.

—Six fine new cars constituted a part of the local freight train which arrived Monday morning.

—We are informed that the thermometer registered 40° Sunday night. It seemed colder than that.

—Repairs are being made to the porch at the Spring street side of Mrs. Brockerhoff's residence.

—Several new pictures *ornament* Finkbinder's cabinet. Among them is that of Mr. Harry Hicks.

—A one-year-old child of Mr. Broom, of Milesburg, died on Friday last and was buried on Sunday.

Johnnie Given is temporarily taking Jimmie Kinsloe's place as night telephone operator and Western Union messenger.

—The Lutheran sociable met on Thursday evening at the parsonage—the residence of Rev. Chas. Steck. A pleasant time is reported.

—This section escaped the visit of Jack Frost which proved quite destructive in several other parts of this State Monday morning.

—Gregg Post, G. A. R., will attend Methodist church next Sunday morning to listen to the Memorial sermon which will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Monroe.

—The closing exercises which took place in the public schools Wednesday morning were attended by numerous visitors and were thoroughly enjoyable.

—Bayard & Co. are constructing a patent pavement through the court house yard which will be wide enough for a half-dozen persons to walk on, side by side.

—Report says that manager McMillen, of the Brockerhoff House, has perfected arrangements for his minstrel troupe and will soon start out on a grand tour of the States.

—The chart for reserved seats for the comedy and Jarley's wax works entertainment on the 24th is displayed at Sourbeck's. Seats are already being reserved.

—Did you take a walk to the woods on Saturday? The number who repaired thither in quest of wild flowers was large and all seemed to be amply rewarded for their search.

—The revival in the Methodist church at Unionville has just closed. One hundred and seven have been received into the church on probation and the membership more than doubled.

—D. G. Bush, Esq., never ceases to make improvements to his properties. He is now replacing the old awning in front of his business block opposite the Bush House with a neat veranda.

—Lovers of fancy work, call at the Butts House office and see the wonderful things made on the Royal St. John Sewing Machine. Cups, saucers, plates, baskets, &c., A. J. Brown & Co., Agents.

—Isaac Wagner, recently miller for Mr. Kurtz at Centre Hall, was a passenger on the departing mail east Monday. We understand he expects to purchase a mill property and conduct business to suit himself.

—Bouquets are brought from the woods in large numbers. They are composed of beautiful honeysuckles, butter cups, May apple blossoms and ferns. The May apple blossoms are peculiarly exquisite, being like wax in whiteness and purity.

—Rev. Dr. D. S. Monroe, secretary of the Central Pennsylvania M. E. Conference, presented to us a bound copy of the journal of that body for 1886. It embraces 207 pages of valuable data and statistics relating to the affairs of the Conference.

—Five persons were confirmed in the Episcopal church Tuesday evening. Rev. Dr. Sommerville Rulison, assistant bishop, officiated, assisted by the rector. After the ceremony the Bishop made an impressive address to the class and to the congregation. He is a fluent, brilliant speaker and his address was strong, scholarly and edifying.

—The item here quoted is from the Harrisburg *Morning Call* of the 14th instant: "Miss Valentine, of Bellefonte, who is the guest of Miss Reily, the pleasing daughter of Dr. Geo. W. Reily, will be given a party in honor of her visit this evening. The occasion will be one of those delightful gatherings for which the Misses Reily are noted for giving. Many invitations have been issued."

THE BOROUGH SCHOOLS.

Principal D. M. Lieb Submits His Final Report for the Year.

Monthly reports of the progress, condition and needs of the borough schools are made to the School Board by Prof. D. M. Lieb, the Principal. The final report for the present school year was received by the Board on Friday evening. We append it below:

BELLEFONTE, PA., May 14, 1886.

Gentlemen of the Board:

Although not yet completed, still the term is so very near closed that I can with propriety make this as a final report for the present school year:

ENROLLMENT.

As usual, the last month shows a falling off in attendance.

Grade.	Teachers.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
No. 10	Miss Weaver	34	35	69
" 9	" Powers	32	27	59
" 8	" Strickland	28	30	58
" 7	" McCafferty	22	30	52
" 6	" Rankin	23	23	46
" 5	" Humes	19	14	33
" 4	" Shortlidge	22	14	36
" 3	" Hewes	19	17	36
" 2	" Meek	19	14	33
" 1	Mr. Lieb	22	15	37
		240	219	459
Colored school				32
High school				65
				556

The accessions since April 1st have been seven (7).

Following the interpretation of the law on the teaching of "Temperance Hygiene" in the common schools, as laid down by Judge Wells of Massachusetts, in every grade in which Geography is taught, or some kindred branch requiring ability to read intelligently as an essential to successful study, the subject of Hygiene has been taught with text books in the hands of pupils.

In all other grades the instruction has been given orally. In this branch at least an effort has been made by the teachers of the schools to meet both the letter and the spirit of the law.

Some supply of supplementary reading will be needed in several of the grades at the opening of the next term. A "Fourth Reader" will be required by the pupils who leave Miss Shortlidge's room, as they have already put in one year reading and re-reading that grade of the present "Independent Series."

On the two kinds of supplementary reading in use in the "Second Reader" grades, viz., the "Fountain" and the "Boston Graded Reading," my judgment would be in favor of the latter. My test is experience in the examining of classes using both.

The work done during the past year in some branches was less in quantity than in several former years. But I think the introduction of a new daily study in an already over-crowded course can well account for that.

TEACHERS.

In all that could be accomplished in the unfavorable conditions under which they labor, the teachers have been zealous to perform. If any one is deserving of special recognition, I think that one is Prof. D. O. Etters, of the High School. Other towns have difficulty in holding their boys. That we escape it in the Bellefonte High School, I attribute to the manly character of Principal Etters, who seems to be able to both hold and train the ardent spirits of the Young Americans in our pupilage.

PUPILS.

The conduct of the pupils, both on the street and grounds, is, I think, deserving of approval, considering the numbers gathered daily in the enclosure of the grounds. Both in word and deed the daily record made is one to be called creditable to the pupils. As to the colored pupils admitted to the Grammar school, a record for good conduct, good habits and good manners has won recognition from teachers and fellow-pupils.

In conclusion, I have to thank the Board for their constant sympathy and aid, which have enabled me to discipline the schools with greater success than would otherwise have attended my efforts. One thing I failed to do—get up, or rather out, a catalogue. But when the Board, through necessity, knocked my form into pi, (advancing pupils to higher grades before they were sufficiently prepared), I deemed it best to quietly work to set it up again without advertising the fact. With what success, I leave you, gentlemen, to judge.

Respectfully,
D. M. LIEB, Principal.

On The Camp Ground.

The Altoona *Times* says that on Saturday Col. Hastings and Quartermaster McMillen, of Bellefonte; Captain Jones and two lieutenants, of Tyrone, and Dr. Rohrer, of Altoona, were taken out to Roaring Springs by Train Master Wilkins to inspect the grounds offered for the encampment of the Fifth Regiment which will be held from the 17th to the 24th of July. The owner of the grounds will allow the free use of them, and will also furnish lumber for necessary building without charge, his only reimbursement being the privilege to supply the soldiers with eatables, etc. The party were most hospitably entertained by Dr. Stayer, who also accompanied them over the grounds. Returning from Roaring Spring the party inspected Dell Delight at Hollidaysburg, but decided that Roaring Spring offered many more advantages and decided finally to locate the camp there.

Madame Duncan's Reception.

How to dress tastefully and elegantly is an absorbing theme with all ladies. Every year the prevailing styles of ladies' dress change and she must indeed be a wideawake lady who can keep up to the times in the latest mode.

Madame Duncan, the French dressmaker, located in the rooms on the second floor of the Brockerhoff building on Bishop street several weeks ago. She proved at once that she understands all there is to know of the beautiful art and has consummate taste, and at once secured the patronage of the wealthiest people of the vicinity—not the work usually done by the ordinarily seamstresses, but work which otherwise would have been sent away. But withal at surprisingly reasonable terms.

On Friday evening the Madame displayed a few of the handsomest costumes which she has "created" for the ladies. To supplement the display, she decorated the rooms elaborately with greens, flags and lace drapery, and by the addition of a rare collection of potted plants and bouquets converted the rooms into a conservatory. All the arrangements were in extreme taste and elegance, and the Madame doubtless felt more than repaid when, almost before the appointed hour, scores of people filled the apartments. During the entire evening they thronged the rooms and at least four hundred passed in and out.

Very great admiration was expressed by all present and numerous were the exclamations of surprise and delight uttered by the ladies. We will briefly describe a few.

Two elaborate and handsome gowns made for Mrs. Cameron Burnside, of Howard, were duly admired. One was an evening costume of garnet silk velvet. The trimming of gold blue satin was profuse and beautiful. The front was brocaded with raised velvet flowers and the neck was cut square. The second was a navy blue French satine with cream figures. It was made with a pleated front and tunnel pleating, the panels being trimmed with costly Irish point lace.

A lovely walking dress was made for Miss Mary Brockerhoff. It is of canvas cloth, trimmed with costly Chantilly lace. Other trimming of the Madame's own design is of oak leaves of velvet. Tunnel pleating of garnet Ottoman silk, a cascade basque, Lady Washington collar lined with Ottoman silk, the front decorated with a bow of French ribbon completed one of the gems of the collection.

A dress of seal brown figured satine trimmed with Irish point, made for Mrs. Wm. Teller, was pronounced exquisitely neat. Pearl buttons with steel settings added to its beauty.

A black wool satin granine, made for Mrs. Holliday, was admired for its perfect taste. It is trimmed with French leaves bound in clusters on the left, and the right trimmed with pleated panels and cluster leaves.

An elegant walking suit for Miss Garman is of Surah silk, brocaded, with French vest and cascaded back.

A dress which is not quite finished is of black silk grenadine trimmed with Escurial lace with French ruchings at top. The Madame takes much pride in this dress.

A piano in the rooms afforded a means of entertainment, several good performers being present. It also tempted the ladies to waltz to its strains, and before the entertainment was ended the ladies yielded to the temptation, enjoying the amusement in an unusual degree.

Visit of a Daring Desperado.

As the shades of night were falling fast, Friday evening, a most startling occurrence happened. It convinces us beyond a doubt that we have in our midst the most daring specimen of a western cowboy or Texas desperado. The clatter of horse's hoof was heard over the macadamized streets and, looking up, the crowds assembled near the post office beheld a noble figure appear, riding gallantly on a prancing steed. A sombrero hat of large and commanding dimensions surmounted his wide-extending brow and a highly-polished revolver flashed back the rays of the setting sun from his hip pocket.

He rode to the pavement in front of the post office. The clerk united with the crowd in open-mouthed admiration of the horseman. But when, in stentorian tones, the desperado demanded of the clerk, "Bring me my mail matter!" the clerk's "spunk" arose to fever heat and he calmly answered, "I won't do it. Get off your horse and come in after it." "Alight from my noble steed!" said the horseman in tones of fine frenzy, "no, not by all the Chinese on the Pacific slope, no; live or die, survive or perish, I shall get my mail without leaving my lofty seat." Saying which, he gave the spurs to his nag and the clattering of horses hoofs was heard over the pavement and in the post office. The crowd scattered and the post office attaches were electrified. Reaching the post office window, the mail matter was handed to the horseman and out he went, and quickly dashed down the street in the direction from whence he came. He had been gone five minutes before the spectators recovered from their surprise. Who the horseman was we cannot state, but possibly Francis Speer can tell who he was. He had better not repeat the experiment as the post office attaches will go armed hereafter and will be prepared for all such visitors.

Memorial Day.

GENERAL ORDERS } H'Q'R'S DEPARTMENT OF PA., G. A. R. No. 1202 CHESTNUT ST.
No. } PHILADELPHIA, April 27, 1886.

I. The Thirtieth of May falling upon Sunday, in consequence of the preceding day having been made a holiday by legal enactment in the Department of Pennsylvania, Saturday, May 29th, will be observed as Memorial Day.

II. The fitting observance of the day and of the ceremonies which hallow it, intensify in interest as the graves increase and the years multiply which separate us from the scenes which made the lives of our comrades memorable. The fairest offerings of this bright spring time, we will again bring to their last resting places, to testify to the nobility of love and affection they deserve at our hands. From the outpouring of grateful hearts, we select the words most fitting to tell the story of their lives, that posterity may read in their deaths the true virtue of loyalty to flag and country. In a land for which, as citizen soldiers, they offered their lives that it might forever exist as the home of liberty and freedom, we cannot render them too much homage.

Regard our every grave as a mausoleum before which future generations will stand with uncovered heads. The individual soldier who sleeps within, however humble his sphere in life, represents the grandest principle for which battles were fought since the world began. The maintenance of that principle in all its purity is the assurance of the perpetuity of the Republic. The Union, which was the gift of the soldier to the citizen, should be the inspiration of the citizens to do honor to the soldier.

"Comrades! all rally for muster to-day,
Come, with oblations of rever est love.
With beautiful flowers,
To honor the brave who lie
Peacefully sleeping around us."

By command of Department Commander, J. P. S. Gobin.

THOS. J. STEWART,
Asst. Adj't General.

Destroyed by a Lightning Stroke.

On Monday evening, the 10th, about six o'clock, the large barn owned by Mr. Joseph Kline, five miles below Pennsylvania Furnace, near Graysville, Huntingdon county, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The contents of the barn were very valuable and all were destroyed. The contents included nine head of cows, two horses, nineteen pieces of meat, four tons of hay, farming implements and a quantity of wheat and oats. The only articles saved were a few of the agricultural implements. It is believed that the live stock was killed by the lightning stroke, but almost immediately thereafter the building was enveloped in flames.

The loss to Mr. Kline is very heavy. He is a brother-in-law of Mr. C. Hartsock, a prominent resident of Buffalo Run, this county.

Excursion to State College.

A member of the Washington Literary Society of State College writes to a friend in this place: "The White Pilgrim," under the auspices of the society, will be played on the 21st inst. We can have a *special* train to run from Bellefonte to Lemont and return on that date for a guarantee of 50 passengers at 75c. each. For $1 25 each we can furnish conveyances from Bellefonte to College and return, including admission to play. The train will leave Bellefonte at 6 p. m., Lemont 11 or 11:30. Would you please get a list of the names of those parties who intend to come up and forward the same to us."

If those who expect to go will notify Mr. Scott Harris he will send the names to the managers of the entertainment at the College.

That Appointment.

General Wm. Blair *did* receive an appointment, but it was not as a member of the Utah Commission. It is as a member of the Board of Visitors to the West Point Military Academy for the coming year. The appointment is one which confers much honor upon the recipient and which any citizen may be proud to receive. The appointment was made, he says, on recommendation from ex-Gov. Hartranft. There is no salary attached to it. We congratulate the General upon this fitting recognition of his military skill and judgment.

Those who were so quick to apply for a position to assist him in his duties on the Utah Commission will now retire from the field.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has determined to enter the soft coal region of West Virginia and compete with the Baltimore and Ohio Company for that trade. A new railroad is to be built from Cumberland to Piedmont, a distance of twenty-nine miles, to tap the fields developed by Senator Davis, Stephen B. Elkins and ex-Secretary Blaine. The coal will be brought to the Philadelphia market over the Bedford and Bridgeport and Huntingdon and Broad Top Railroads to the main line of the Pennsylvania Company at Huntingdon. It is claimed that about 100,000 tons will be shipped per annum.

—Last week Rev. A. H. Jolly was installed pastor of the Presbyterian church at Alexandria. Despite the fun-provoking name of the reverend gentleman we suppose he will be dignified and serious when in the pulpit.

The Borough Fathers Transact Important Business.

Mr. L. L. Brown did not appear in council Monday evening and Mr. L. T. Munson took the President's seat and directed affairs.

Among those who were present to petition council verbally were Mr. Dooley and Mr. Armstrong. The former has a quantity of broken stone prepared for borough use which he wants taken off his hands, which council consented to do. The latter will build a house on Howard street as soon as he can find out enough about the grade and line of the street to permit him to erect it. Council having already located the street, postponed further consideration of petition.

A written communication signed by all the butchers in town prayed council to impose a license of $100 per annum upon all the meat venders who visit Bellefonte to sell meat in small quantities, thus injuring their trade, in the pursuit of which they pay heavy tax. While this petition was not granted outright, it received respectful consideration and discussion and, on motion, the Market committee was instructed to consult borough solicitor in reference to the necessary means of imposing proper license upon all who do small trading on the streets.

In reference to Beaver street, the Street committee reported in favor of appropriating the Pike as an outlet to that thoroughfare and making the proper improvements to enable them to do so. We believe this report was approved by council.

H. D. Yerger, contractor for new sewer on Bishop street, reported 42 feet constructed and covered and 74½ feet constructed but not covered.

The first market money of the season—$2.30—was reported paid to borough treasurer.

The special appropriation committee reported the appropriations for the year, apportioning a certain amount to each committee, and two very carefully worded resolutions were reported and adopted—one solemnly resolving not to expend more than the appropriation except upon consent of two-thirds of council and another of equal solemnity resolving not to undertake any extraordinary repairs. When these resolutions were read a smile of ecstatic joy was visible on the countenances of South ward members. "Glad that sewer was planned and constructed before these resolutions were adopted," is what they said and then voted "aye" to the resolutions.

Then H. H. Harshberger, Esq., called up the ordinance in regard to the storing of inflammables and explosives within the borough limits. The ordinance is not sufficiently explicit and definite in regard to the quantities of these materials which may be kept in stock and it was referred to a special committee, composed of Brew, Beouse and Harshberger, to be completed.

The bond of the new borough treasurer, numerously signed, was received and approved.

The business of council was dispatched quickly and in good order.

Killed by a Caboose.

Mr. Hugh McClellan, who lives a short distance above Grazierville, says the Altoona *Times*, left Tyrone for his home about 5 o'clock on Saturday evening, taking the railroad for it, and walking on the north track. Soon after leaving Tyrone he found it necessary to give the right of way to a freight train approaching in an opposite direction, and in doing so stepped over to the south track without noticing that the work train was backing down on him. The flagman of the latter train, who was at the rear end at the time, shouted to the old man with all the power he could command, while the engine pulled the whistle with startling rapidity, but all to no purpose. The unfortunate man failed to hear, or at least to heed, either of the warnings, being, no doubt too much confused to realize his danger, and the result was that the caboose car struck and hurled him to one side of the track, killing him instantly. The deceased was a married man, aged 68 years, and the father of several children, all of whom are grown up. He was a small farmer by occupation and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. The remains were taken to his home for interment.

Dinner for the Public.

The programme for a free dinner to the surviving union soldiers of the late rebellion at Howard, this county, on Memorial Day, has been changed so as to include the public who may be present. These terms are certainly liberal enough in character to please the most fastidious fault finder. We have no doubt that the ladies of the vicinity will be equal to the emergency and that the proposed banquet will not only be the largest but the best ever furnished in the county, for when the "ladies will, they will," and when they wont that is the end of it. In this case they have determined not to be outdone by any of their sisters of other localities.

—From the appearance of the Tyrone *Herald's* first page, it looks as though it took all the "hands" in the office to get out an edition.—*Clearfield Republican.*—And what a "fist" they make of it too.—*Huntingdon Monitor.* But we'll all admit that is the "index" to a live town.—*Huntingdon News.* Perhaps it takes the "palm," though we don't see it.

Personal Pencilings.

Miss Harpster, of Centre Hall, was in Bellefonte Monday.

Harry Sayre came up from Williamsport Thursday morning.

Dr. Brockerhoff and Dr. Dobbins spent part of Thursday in Lock Haven.

Mr. W. B. Miller, of Spiece, Miller & Co., Philadelphia, is at the Brockerhoff House.

W. B. Crosby, Esq., of Philipsburg will deliver the Memorial day oration in that place.

Will Tyson, of Philipsburg, is in Philadelphia, expecting to remain a month in that city.

Rev. J. Zeigler visits Bellefonte almost daily with collections of handsome flowers from his nurseries.

Mrs. Fisk, of Lock Haven, is spending a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Love on Linn St.

Mrs. W. I. Fleming, of this place, departed Monday morning for a visit among friends in Renovo and Williamsport.

'Squire Corman and family, of Rebersburg, departed on Monday, the 10th, with the intention of locating in Valley Falls, Kansas.

Mr. Font. W. Crider has been quite ill with a complaint resembling quinsy during the past week. He was better on Sunday.

Mr. James Milliken has recently been adding several rare flowering plants to his collection. Among them is a beautiful hydrangea.

Mrs. Margaret Stover, an aged and highly respected resident of Millheim, is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Ulrich in that place.

Mrs. W. P. Wilson departed Friday from San Francisco, Cal., to return home. She is not expected to reach this place until about the 1st of June.

Miss Sallie Tyson, of Philipsburg, has numerous friends in Bellefonte who will be glad to learn that she is recovering from her recent serious illness.

Mr. D. S. Miller, representing the Walker Paper Company, 535 Arch street, Philadelphia, came to Bellefonte Tuesday evening, departing next day.

Mr. E. T. Bigony and sister, Miss Annie, of Line Lexington, Montgomery county, Pa., are guests of their sister, Mrs. Milton Furey, of East Howard St.

Dr. J. W. Rhone was on Wednesday afternoon elected assistant recording secretary of the Susquehanna Dental Association in session in Lock Haven.

Messrs. A. B. Stover, of the Bellefonte marble works, and John Musser, of Wilson & McFarlane's, went to Philadelphia on Saturday to spend a week pleasuring.

John Potter, Esq., of High street, came down town at a rapid rate to enter the 1 o'clock p. m. Lemont train Friday, and arrived just in time to see it departing. The 1 o'clock train departs at 1 o'clock.

Mr. James Mitchell, who has been afflicted so severely with rheumatism for many years, has been improving steadily since last Summer and can now move about quite briskly. He has also gained five pounds in weight.

Mr. Kirk Lingle, of Milesburg, departed on Thursday for Fremont, Neb., to locate. Kirk believes that the East offers no opening of promise to young men and has gone west to seek his fortune. We hope he will find it.

Dr. Miles Kirk felt so very elevated Monday that he had to stoop to get into his drug store. We supposed at first that the new soda fountain had something to do with it, but instead we hear that it is all because a son and heir arrived some time Sunday night.

—In view of the fact that there will be a large audience in Humes' Hall next Monday evening on the occasion of the comedy entertainment and also because it is not very easy for those who sit in the rear to obtain a good view of the stage, would it not be well for ladies to refrain from wearing large bonnets or hats? Indeed, the ladies might attend without bonnets or hats, merely wearing some light head-covering that can be thrown off on entering the hall.

—A very large number of mourners accompanied the remains of the late Robert G. Brett to Pine Grove on Sunday morning. The Masonic fraternity took charge of the services and added the burial ritual of that order to the other solemn ceremonies. Rev. J. A. Woodcock officiated. The attendance at the funeral services at Pine Grove was surprisingly large, showing the high esteem in which deceased was held and his extensive acquaintance.

—The result of the game of base ball between the Williamsport club and the Altoona club, at the latter place, on Tuesday, was 12 to 5 in favor of Altoona. The Altoonas passed through Bellefonte on their way to Williamsport this morning and played there this afternoon. They will play another game to-day. We predict that on Thursday evening nine will have a record of [illegible] lost.

MARRIED.

QUICK—KELLERMAN.—On the 1st of April, A. D. 1886, at Snow Shoe, by the Rev. J. Zeigler; Mr. Jas. Quick, of Miss Minnie M. Kellerman, both of Centre Co., Pa.